

***United States Court of Appeals
for the Second Circuit***



APPENDIX

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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

for the
SECOND CIRCUIT

GREGORY A. JOHNSON

Petitioner - appellant

VS.

COMMANDING OFFICER,
USS CASIMIR PULASKI
(SSBN 633) BLUE CREW
UNITED STATES NAVY,
GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Defendant - appellee

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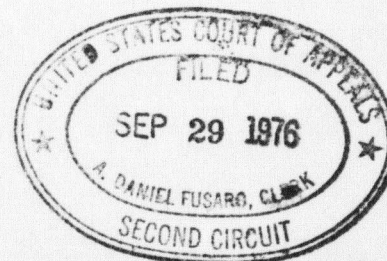
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PLAINTIFFS

GREGORY A. JOHNSON

DEFENDANTS

COMMANDING OFFICER, USS CASIMIR
PULASKI (SSBN 633) BLUE CREW
UNITED STATES NAVY, GROTON,
CONNECTICUT

CAUSE Petition for a Writ of Habeas
Corpus by a Petty Officer, U.S. Navy,
seeking separation and discharge from
military service on the basis of con-
scientious objection.

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Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus, filed.

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Restraining order entered. Hearing scheduled for November 19, 1975, at 10:30 A.M. at New Haven. Zampano, J. Attested copies of Order and copies of Petition handed to the Marshal. M-11/13/75

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Marshals return of Service filed. (Habeas Corpus).

Hearing on Restraining Order marked "Over" to November 21, 1975 at 2:00 P.M. before Zampano, U.S.D.J. M-11/18/75.

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Hearing on Restraining Order held on 11/21/75 before Zampano, U.S.D.J. "Government Motion to Remand to Department of Navy - Granted. Court Retains Jurisdiction of this case and Provisions of Restraining Order shall Remain In Effect. (Markowski, C.) M-11/21/75. Copies Mailed.

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Order endorsed on Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus, as follows: "For reasons stated in open court, case is remanded pursuant to the Respondent's motion; jurisdiction is retained; the TRO shall remain in effect." Zampano, J. M-11/21/75 Copies mailed.

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Motion for Evidentiary Hearing, filed by Petitioner.

Hearing on Plaintiff's Motion For Evidentiary Hearing.

Plaintiff's exhibits nos. 1 & 2 filed; plaintiff's opening statements: One witness sworn and testified for plaintiff. Defendant's opening Statements: Briefs to be filed simultaneously by 3/5/76. Reply briefs to be filed, if any, within one week. TRO to remain in effect.

Court adjourned @12:45 P.M. (Zampapo, J.) M-2/23/76

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Court Reporter's Notes of proceedings held before Zampano, U.S.D.J. at New Haven on 2/23/76 filed. (Russell, R.).

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Brief In Support of Writ of Habeas Corpus filed.

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Respondent's Memorandum, filed.

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Respondent's Reply to Petitioner's Brief filed.

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Memorandum of Decision filed. " . . . the petition for a writ of habeas corpus is denied". (Zampano, J.) M-5/14/76. copies mailed.

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Judgment entered. Pursuant to Court's Memorandum of Decision under date of May 14, 1976, denying the petition for a writ of habeas corpus, It is ORDERED and ADJUDGED that judgment be and is hereby entered in favor of the respondent, dismissing the petition for a writ of habeas corpus. (Markowski, C.) M-5/17/76. Copies Mailed.

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Motion for Injunction Pending Appeal filed by plaintiff.

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Notice of Appeal filed by plaintiff; copy mailed to U.S.C.A accompanied by copy of docket entries; copies mailed to all counsel of record.

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Order endorsed on Petitioner's Motion for continuance of injunction and restraining order pending appeal, as follows: "Stay granted for 15 days, with leave to file an application for additional stay with the Court of Appeals." Zampano, J. M-5/26/76 Copies mailed

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
NEW HAVEN, CONN.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

GREGORY A. JOHNSON, PETITIONER

VS.

COMMANDING OFFICER, USS CASIMIR
PULASKI (SSBN 633) BLUE CREW
UNITED STATES NAVY, GROTON,
CONNECTICUT, RESPONDENT

CIVIL ACTION
NO.

N 75-278

PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS

The Petitioner, Gregory A. Johnson, alleges:

1. The Court has jurisdiction of this cause under Article 1, Section 9, Clause 2 of the United States Constitution and under 28 United States Code sections 2241-2244.

2. Petitioner is a Petty Officer in the United States Navy, with a rank of ETR-3, military service number 145-46-7756. He is presently assigned to the Blue Crew of the USS Casimir Pulaski, SSBN 633, and is presently stationed at the United States Submarine Base, Groton, Connecticut. He is scheduled to leave the United States Submarine Base, Groton, Connecticut on November 22, 1975, for assignment to the USS Casimir Pulaski and its tender ship off the coast of Scotland, United Kingdom, for extensive patrol duty in the Atlantic waters.

3. Petitioner's custody is under the authority of the United States, and the custody is in violation of the Constitution and laws of the United States by reason of the fact that, as more

particularly stated hereafter, the Department of the Navy has unlawfully denied Petitioner's application for discharge from the military service on the ground of conscientious objection, by reason of religious training and belief, to participation in war in any form.

4. On August 5, 1971, Petitioner entered the United States Navy as an enlisted man with a six year obligation. On November 8, 1974, Petitioner submitted an application for discharge from the military service on the grounds of conscientious objection, pursuant to Bureau of Naval Personnel Manual, Article 1860120, Paragraph 4b, on the ground that subsequent to his entry into the military service he had developed by reason of religious training and belief, conscientious objection to participation in war in any form. In support of his application, Petitioner submitted evidence corroborating the validity and sincerity of his claim.

5. In accordance with the Bureau of Naval Personnel Manual, Petitioner was interviewed by a psychiatrist, a medical officer, two chaplains, and an investigating officer. The reports of these officers, together with Petitioners application and supporting evidence, were reviewed by the Chief of Naval Personnel, Bureau of Naval Personnel, Department of the Navy, Washington, D.C.

6. By communication dated June 4, 1975, Petitioner was informed by the Department of the Navy that his application for discharge had been disapproved. Attached hereto, marked Exhibit A, is a copy of the communication, dated June 4, 1975, which notified Petitioner of the disapproval.

7. On information and belief, the Bureau of Naval Personnel relied on the reports of the interviewing officers in making its adverse findings.

8. The findings of the interviewing officers are, in part, as follows:

a. The medical officer in his evaluation dated February 28, 1974, stated: "He does seem quite sincere".

b. The psychiatrist in his evaluation dated November 18, 1974, stated: "From the interview I felt that he is basically sincere in his beliefs but that those beliefs are still far from crystalized in his mind. He is still groping for the 'truth' as he sees it and is having a great deal of difficulty reconciling his belief and the practicalities of daily living."

c. Chaplain Dolaghan, by report dated November 21, 1974, stated: "Johnson is, I believe, sincere, as far as he can see at this time, but it is my belief that his insight is limited by his own limited life experience, and unresolved philosophical concepts."

d. Chaplain Purdhan, by report dated February 12, 1975, states: "The applicant is unquestionably sincere. Unfortunately, due to his age, limited life experiences and paucity of research in his major interests, his thoughts and decisions lack clarity."

e. The clinical record consultation sheet dated March 6, 1975, as a result of a psychiatric interview, states: "This individual seems motivated by beliefs of a sincere nature."

9. The denial of Petitioner's application had no basis in fact, was arbitrary, based upon improper standards, and in violation of Bureau of Naval Personnel Manual Section 1860120 and Department of Defense Directive 1300.6. The denial also deprives Petitioner of his liberty in violation of the Constitution and laws of the United States (a) in that he is denied the free exercise of his religion as guaranteed by the Free Exercise Clause of the First Amendment because he is compelled to participate in military service in violation of his religious beliefs; (b) in that he is denied the protection of the Establishment Clause of the First Amendment, and is illegally discriminated against and denied the Equal Protection of the laws in violation of the Fifth Amendment, because persons with different religious beliefs are exempted from military service, while Petitioner is denied such exemption because his religious beliefs are not acceptable to the Department of the Navy, including Respondent; (c) and in that the

burden was placed upon Petitioner to prove his claim beyond a reasonable doubt, in violation of the Due Process clause of the Fifth Amendment.

10. Petitioner has exhausted his administrative remedies and has no adequate and speedy remedy other than a Writ of Habeas Corpus. The Respondent, unless restrained by this Court, will remove Petitioner from the District of Connecticut to Naval duty off the coast of Scotland.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays:

1. That a Writ of Habeas Corpus be issued or, in the alternative, that an Order to Show Cause be issued directing Respondent to show cause, if any he has, why Petitioner should not be released from the military service;

2. That the Court order Respondent to separate and discharge Petitioner from the military service and thereafter to cease and desist from all efforts to exercise jurisdiction, custody or control over Petitioner;

3. That pending the determination of this cause the Court restrain and enjoin Respondents from removing the Petitioner from the District of Connecticut pending the date of the hearing on this petition;

4. For such other and further relief as may be appropriate.

GREGORY A. JOHNSON
GREGORY A. JOHNSON, Petitioner

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STATE OF CONNECTICUT)

COUNTY OF NEW HAVEN)

ss: New Haven, Connecticut

Gregory A. Johnson, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he has read and knows the contents of the foregoing Petition, by him subscribed, and that the facts stated therein are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

/s/ Gregory A. Johnson
GREGORY A. JOHNSON

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of
November, 1975.

/s/ M. Mitchell Morse
Commissioner of the Superior Court
for New Haven County



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20370

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From: Chief of Naval Personnel
To: ETR3 Gregory A. JOHNSON, USN, 145-46-7756

Via: Commanding Officer
USS CASIMIR PULASKI (SSBN633) (BLUE)
FPO New York 09501

Subj: Discharge from the U. S. Navy as a Conscientious Objector;
request for

Ref: (a) Your ltr of 8 Nov 74

1. By reference (a) you requested discharge by reason of conscientious objection.

2. Your request for discharge by reason of conscientious objection was reviewed by a panel of officer and enlisted members who recommended that your petition be denied. Your commanding officer recommended disapproval of your case since he felt that your idealistic concepts are not incompatible with continued military service. Further, he was not of the opinion that your request is based on deeply held consistent objection to military service which is inherent in conscientious objection. The investigating officer in your case concluded that you lack a depth of conviction in your professed beliefs, that whatever beliefs you may hold regarding conscientious objection are shallow, poorly formulated and inconsistent; he further noted that statements made by you during your interview with him were contradictory with the contents of your written application. This, he felt clearly showed that your knowledge and understanding of the basis for your beliefs were plainly cursory, as was further substantiated by your admission that you had virtually no knowledge of the books or authors' philosophy upon whom you base your claimed beliefs. The doctor who interviewed you in February 1974 in connection with your conscientious objection found no medical problems; however, he did state that you are somewhat confused and that your philosophy "doesn't make much sense." The medical officer who interviewed you in November 1974 in connection with your present application also verified that you have no illness, but was also of the opinion that your professed beliefs have not fully crystalized. Finally, the panel noted that neither Chaplain DOLAGHAN who interviewed you in November 1974, nor Chaplain PURDHAM who interviewed you in February 1975 recommended that you be discharged by reason of conscientious objection. Chaplain DOLAGHAN believes your insight is limited and that your philosophical concepts

-- are still unresolved; and Chaplain PURDHAM stated that your thoughts and decisions lacked clarity.

3. After weighing all information presented in your case, the panel concluded that you have failed to prove beyond a reasonable doubt that your beliefs are held with the strength and conviction of traditional religious beliefs, nor are they so strong as to give you no rest or peace should you be required to complete the remainder of your enlistment contract and extension thereof as voluntarily entered into. Additionally, you have not provided sufficient information for the panel to consider whether you are against all wars and killing under any and all conditions as is required by current directives.

4. Accordingly, the recommendation of the panel is concurred in and your request for discharge by reason of conscientious objection is disapproved.

J. D. Gillon

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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CIVIL ACTION
NO.

N 75-278

RESTRAINING ORDER

This cause, having come before the Court on the 13th day
of *November*, 1975, and good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Respondent, his agents, servants,
employees, and attorneys, and all persons in act of concert or
participation with him, be and are hereby restrained from causing
the Petitioner to be transferred for duty outside the District of
Connecticut (no bond being necessary) until a hearing can be held
to determine the validity of the denial of his application for
discharge; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this order expire on the 19th day
of *November*, 1977, ^{at 5:00 P.M.} and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a hearing thereon be scheduled
before this Court on the 19th day of *November*, 1975, at
10:30 o'clock in the *fore* noon at *New Haven*

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order and the Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus, together with proper summons issued by the Clerk of this Court, be served upon the Respondent on or before the 14th day of *November*, 1975.

Issued at *New Haven*, Connecticut this 13th day of November, 1975.

Robert C. Zangrand
United States District Judge

▲ True Copy
ATTEST:

SYLVESTER A. MARKOWSKI
Clerk, U. S. District Court
By *Francis J. Longlo*
Deputy In Charge

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

GREGORY A. JOHNSON, PETITIONER)	
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VS.)	CIVIL ACTION
)	NO. N 75-278
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PULASKI (SSBN 633) BLUE CREW)	
UNITED STATES NAVY, GROTON,)	
CONNECTICUT, RESPONDENT)	

MOTION FOR EVIDENTIARY HEARING

The Petitioner, Gregory A. Johnson, alleges:

1. On November 13, 1975, a petition for writ of habeas corpus was filed on behalf of Gregory A. Johnson.
2. On November 13, 1975, the United States District Court for the District of Connecticut issued a restraining order in the matter.
3. On November 21, 1975, for reasons stated in open court, the case was remanded to the Department of the Navy, jurisdiction being retained by this Court, and the temporary restraining order remaining in effect.
4. By communication dated January 22, 1976, and received by Petitioner's counsel on February 9, 1976, the Department of the Navy again denied Petitioner a discharge from the United States Navy as a conscientious objector, a copy of which communication is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

5. The denial of Petitioner's application dated Janaury 22, 1976, had no basis in fact, was arbitrary, and based on improper standards as more fully set forth in paragraph 9 of the Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner requests this Court to assign this matter for a hearing and to continue the temporary restraining order pending the outcome of this matter.

THE PETITIONER

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C E R T I F I C A T I O N

This is to certify that a copy of the foregoing Motion For Evidentiary Hearing was mailed, postage prepaid, to Marjorie A. Wilhelm, Esquire, Assistant United States Attorney, 141 Church Street, New Haven, Connecticut 06508.

Commissioner of the Superior Court

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

U.S. DISTRICT COURT
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GREGORY A. JOHNSON,

Petitioner,

v.

CIVIL NO. N-75-278

COMMANDING OFFICER, USS CASIMIR
PULASKI (SSBN 633) BLUE CREW
UNITED STATES NAVY, GROTON,
CONNECTICUT,

Respondent.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

Gregory A. Johnson, an enlistee and Electronics Technician third class in the United States Navy, seeks habeas release from military service on the ground that he is a conscientious objector. His initial petition was filed on November 13, 1975, following notice from the Chief of Naval Personnel that his application for a discharge had been denied. At that time, the Court remanded petitioner's case to the Department of the Navy for further action and retained jurisdiction of the case.

On January 22, 1976, petitioner was informed that upon reconsideration by the Bureau of Naval Personnel his application for a discharge had again been rejected. Petitioner then moved this Court for a hearing, alleging that the denial of his application had no basis in fact, was arbitrary and was based on improper standards. An evidentiary hearing was held on February 23, 1976, at which time a copy of the complete service record of petitioner was submitted to the Court. Comprehensive briefs have now been filed.

Petitioner joined the United States Naval Reserve on

May 26, 1971. On August 5, 1971, he enlisted in the Regular Navy for four years in order to receive advanced electronics training. In May 1972, petitioner voluntarily extended his enlistment for two years in order to receive training in the nuclear field program. From the summer of 1971 until the fall of 1974, he received technical training at several Navy facilities: the Naval Training Center at Great Lakes, Illinois; the Nuclear Power School at Bainbridge, Maryland; and the Nuclear Power School Prototype, Schenectady, New York. It was during this time that petitioner began to develop the philosophical beliefs that compelled him to seek a release from the service.

In September 1973, petitioner, then enrolled in the Nuclear Power School, Bainbridge, believed that his convictions "were real and strong enough to take action upon." While at the Nuclear Power School Prototype, Schenectady, petitioner initially filed an application for a conscientious objector discharge, but withdrew it because of discouragement by his parents and superior officers. Finally, on November 5, 1974, six days after reporting on board the submarine U.S.S. CASIMIR PULASKI for sea duty, he decided to pursue his quest for release and filed another formal discharge request. In the application the petitioner stated in part:

I am to a point in my evolution though that its clear to me, that military forces, in existence to ultimately take conscious life, in order to maintain possession of material things, is wrong. Also taking part in any action that would cause conscious life to be taken, is wrong. It should, in my opinion, be evident that if any man were to see that these things are true beyond doubt, he could not perform his duties in, or remain a part of any military force, with a clear and unburdened conscience.

He explained that his repugnance to participate in military

operations matured in Scotland when he observed "the United States submarines and contemplat[ed] their tremendous destructive potential."

Following prescribed procedures, 32 C.F.R. § 730, the petitioner was interviewed by two Navy chaplains, Commander John Dolaghan and Lieutenant Commander Aldon E. Purdham, and a Navy psychiatrist, Commander P. H. Farrier. Both chaplains concluded that petitioner was sincere in his beliefs; but neither recommended approval of his request, expressing reservation concerning the depth and clarity of his philosophical concepts. Dr. Farrier found no psychiatric disorders warranting treatment or disposition through medical channels. He determined that petitioner was "basically sincere in his beliefs but that those beliefs are still far from crystallized in his mind."

A hearing was held before the investigating officer assigned to the case, Lieutenant F. W. Krafft, on April 3, 1975. Petitioner testified, without representation by counsel, elaborating upon and explaining matters discussed in his application for discharge. Lieutenant Krafft issued a report of his investigation on April 18, 1975. He ascertained that, although petitioner "is sincere in the fact that he personally believes his present beliefs qualify him for conscientious objector status," his beliefs are "shallow, poorly formulated, and inconsistent."^{1/} Lieutenant Krafft recommended disapproval of petitioner's request for classification as a conscientious objector.

To these reports petitioner's commanding officer, Commander R. L. Starck, added his recommendation that the application for discharge be denied. On the basis of his review

of the investigative report and petitioner's rebuttal to that report of April 25, 1975, and on his interviews with petitioner since his assignment to the U.S.S. CASIMIR PULASKI, Commander Starck concluded that petitioner's idealistic concepts were not incompatible with continued military service and that "his present disenchantment with continued military service is based primarily on his belief that further service will limit what he perceives as his potential philosophic development rather than a deeply held, consistent objection to military service which is inherent in conscientious objection."

On June 4, 1975, the Chief of Naval Personnel denied by letter petitioner's request for discharge. He wrote that it was apparent from the record submitted for review that petitioner had failed to prove beyond a reasonable doubt that his beliefs were held with the strength and conviction of traditional religious beliefs or that he opposed wars and killing under all conditions. This decision erroneously placed on petitioner the burden of establishing his claim "beyond a reasonable doubt," see 32 C.F.R. § 730.18(n)(4); and therefore, as stated, this Court remanded the case for application of the proper "clear and convincing evidence" test.

On January 22, 1976, petitioner was again informed by letter from the Chief of Naval Personnel that his application for conscientious objector status was denied. On this occasion, the stated reasons for the denial of petitioner's request were: (1) that he was not sincere in his asserted beliefs of conscientious objection; and (2) that it was not clear that he is opposed to war in any form. Petitioner now argues that there was no basis in fact to support these findings.

The parties agree that in order to qualify for a discharge from the armed forces as a conscientious objector, an applicant must establish that: (1) he is opposed to war in any form, Gillette v. United States, 401 U.S. 437 (1970); (2) his objection is grounded upon religious principles as enunciated by the Supreme Court in Welsh v. United States, 398 U.S. 333 (1970) and United States v. Seeger, 380 U.S. 163 (1965); and (3) his beliefs are sincerely held. Witmer v. United States, 348 U.S. 375 (1955). See also Clay v. United States, 403 U.S. 698 (1971); Smith v. Laird, 496 F.2d 307 (5 Cir. 1973); Kemp v. Bradley, 457 F.2d 627 (3 Cir. 1972). It is further undisputed that an adverse ruling on an application must be supported by a statement of reasons, United States ex rel. Checkman v. Laird, 469 F.2d 773, 780-81 (2 Cir. 1972), and that the scope of judicial review of the denial is limited to determining whether there exists in the record a "basis in fact" for the decision. See Estep v. United States, 327 U.S. 114 (1946); Ferrand v. Seagrams, 488 F.2d 1386 (2 Cir. 1973); United States ex rel. Donham v. Resor, 436 F.2d 751 (2 Cir. 1971).

Applying these standards to the facts in the instant case compels the Court to conclude that the petitioner does not qualify for a discharge as a conscientious objector.^{2/}

First, all the officials who reviewed the petitioner's case were satisfied that he lacked the necessary conviction to warrant favorable consideration of his application for a discharge. Cf. United States ex rel. Tobias v. Laird, 413 F.2d 936 (4 Cir. 1969). Chaplains Dolaghan and Purdham both stated that petitioner's insight is limited and that his philosophical concepts lack clarity. Dr. Farrier wrote that petitioner's

beliefs are not fully crystallized and do not interfere with the performance of his duties. Finally, Lieutenant Krafft found that petitioner's beliefs were shallow, poorly formulated, and inconsistent.

While the Court agrees that "one does not have to be a St. Augustine or a Thomas Aquinas to qualify as a conscientious objector," Kemp v. Bradley, supra at 629; Helwick v. Laird, 438 F.2d 959, 964 (5 Cir. 1971), the petitioner must show that his beliefs are deeply held, that is, "held with the strength of traditional religious convictions." Welsh v. United States, supra at 340. In evaluating the strength of petitioner's beliefs, naval personnel properly considered the timing of his application, his willingness to perform his duties in the Navy if his discharge is denied, his familiarity with the texts that stimulated his philosophical development, see Maynard v. United States, 409 F.2d 505, 506 (9 Cir. 1969); cf. Peckat v. Lutz, 451 F.2d 366 (4 Cir. 1971); and the clarity of his beliefs. Although petitioner has taken some action to conform his mode of life with his beliefs,^{3/} it seems evident that there is a basis in fact for the determination that his beliefs do not function as a religion in his life. Welsh v. United States, supra at 340; see United States v. Messinger, 413 F.2d 927 (2 Cir. 1969); United States ex rel. Donham v. Resor, 318 F. Supp. 126, 133 (S.D.N.Y. 1970), rev'd on other grounds, supra. Petitioner's statement to the investigating officers that he would do the job he was trained for until the end of his enlistment if his request for conscientious objector status was denied indicates that petitioner is not one of "those whose consciences, spurred by deeply held moral,

ethical or religious beliefs, would give them no rest or peace if they allowed themselves to become a party of an instrument of war." Welsh v. United States, supra, at 344.

Second, in demonstrating his sincerity, petitioner's statements and demeanor may set forth a prima facie case for discharge; however, the military reviewing body may determine that petitioner is not to be believed and deny his application on that basis. Lovullo v. Resor, 443 F.2d 1262 (2 Cir. 1971). Where the applicant has stated his beliefs with apparent sincerity and no adverse demeanor evidence has been introduced, the Chief of Naval Personnel must predicate any finding of insincerity upon objective evidence affording a rational basis for his refusal to accept the validity of the applicant's claims. *Id.* at 1264; Ferrand v. Seamans, supra at 1389; accord, Lobis v. Secretary of United States Air Force, 519 F.2d 304 (1 Cir. 1975); see also 32 C.F.R. § 730.18(o)(3).

Despite the general agreement of all the reviewing officers that petitioner appeared to be a "sincere" young man, the evidentiary materials disclose a factual basis adequate to sustain their conclusions that he fails to qualify as a conscientious objector under applicable standards. Petitioner contended that as early as September 1973, his "convictions were real and strong enough to take action upon;" and that, while in the Nuclear Power School, there was "a moral incompatibility between [his] thoughts and the military service." Yet, petitioner persisted in availing himself of advanced nuclear training in the Navy for over one year, finally filing his application for conscientious objector status on November 5, 1974, six days after reporting for his first active submarine sea duty. While the timing of an application alone is not

sufficient to sustain the Navy's denial of a claim of conscientious objection, Ferrand v. Seamans, supra at 1390; Bortree v. Resor, 445 F.2d 776, 784-85 (D.C. Cir. 1971); cf. Honkins v. Schlesinger, 515 F.2d 1224, 1226 (5 Cir. 1975), it certainly may be considered as a factor. United States ex rel. Checkman v. Laird, supra at 786, Dix v. Reasor, 449 F.2d 317, 318 (2 Cir. 1971); United States ex rel. Donham v. Resor, supra, at 753; 32 C.F.R. § 730.18(n). Petitioner postponed his application while he continued to learn things he then claimed to find intolerable as a matter of conscience and conviction. Cf. Foster v. Schlesinger, 520 F.2d 751, 757 (2 Cir. 1975). As the court commented in United States ex rel. Donham v. Resor, 318 F. Supp at 132:

[The Chief of Naval Personnel] was not irrational when [he] counted heavily against the petitioner the delay . . . in submitting his application. This is not the first case in which long delay, unimpressively explained, has been a factor adverse to claims like petitioner's. [citations omitted].

Although recognizing that petitioner appeared "sincere", Chaplain Dolaghan recommended denial of the application because of skepticism "based on the fact that he has taken Government pay for 39 months of valuable training, and has waited until now to apply as a conscientious objector."

The Chief of Naval Personnel was not less within the realm of allowable judgment when he weighed against petitioner his willingness to continue to perform his military duties if his discharge was denied. The conclusion that the application was motivated by petitioner's own desire for "more physical freedom and less mental restriction" to develop his philosophical beliefs, rather than any basic objection to participation

in military organization, is supported by the record before the Court.

The other details supportive of the military decision are adequately stated in the opinion of the Chief of Naval Personnel.^{4/} Considering the decision upon the record as a whole, the Court finds that the denial of petitioner's application stands firmly upon the required basis in fact.

Accordingly, the petition for a writ of habeas corpus is denied.

Dated at New Haven, Connecticut, this 14th day of May, 1976.

Robert C. Zampano
United States District Judge

FOOTNOTES

1/ Lieutenant Krafft based his conclusions on statements made by petitioner at the hearing indicating that: (1) he would take a conscious life if faced with a self-defense situation; (2) his primary objection with continued military duty is that he will not have sufficient time to practice his beliefs; (3) if refused a discharge he would perform his duties as trained until the end of his enlistment; (4) his knowledge of texts which had stimulated his philosophical beliefs was cursory.

Petitioner was given an opportunity to and did rebut these findings in a letter to his commanding officer on April 25, 1975.

2/ While the Court is unable to explain the shift in reasons for denying petitioner's application from the Chief of Naval Personnel's first letter to the second, the Court will not close its eyes to the earlier explanations afforded petitioner. Cf. Checkman v. Laird, 469 F.2d 773, 783 (2 Cir. 1973). It appears to the Court that the phrase, "not sincere in your asserted beliefs of conscientious objection," used by the Chief of Naval Personnel in his second letter encompasses his earlier reasons concerning the "strength and conviction" of petitioner's beliefs. With this outlook in mind, the Court will examine the full record to determine if there is a basis for the stated reasons. Id. at 787; Bortree v. Resor, 445 F.2d 776, 781 (D.C. Cir. 1971); United States ex rel. Donham v. Resor, 318 F. Supp. 126, 133 (S.D.N.Y. 1970), rev'd on other grounds, 436 F.2d 751 (2 Cir. 1971).

3/ Petitioner alleges that he has refused to eat meat over a two year period and has killed no living creature willfully in the past three years.

4/ With regard to the Chief of Naval Personnel's finding that petitioner has failed to demonstrate his opposition to war in any form, the Court notes that this finding is based on the inconsistency between petitioner's statement in his application that "No foreseeable circumstance would ever require me to take conscious life" and his statement, as paraphrased by the investigating officer, that "he might take conscious life if faced with a life or death self-defense situation." In his rebuttal letter of April 25, 1975, petitioner addresses this apparent inconsistency by explaining his view that conscious life exists in an order of importance; and thus, taking the life of an attacking animal with a lower consciousness to save the life of a human being is justified. The Court finds this explanation adequately clarifies the investigating officer's misunderstanding of petitioner's belief. See United States v. Nagler, 484 F.2d 38 (2 Cir. 1973). Furthermore, the Second Circuit in Ferrand v. Seaman, 488 F.2d 1386 (2 Cir. 1973), found that approval of the use of force in some limited circumstances, such as to restrain wrongdoing, does not preclude conscientious objection toward war. See also United States v. Orr, 474 F.2d 1365, 1369 (2 Cir. 1973).

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COMMANDING OFFICER, USS CASIMIR
PULASKI (SSBN 633) BLUE CREW
UNITED STATES NAVY, GROTON,
CONNECTICUT

J U D G M E N T

This cause having come on for a hearing before the Court (Zampano, J.) and the Court having duly considered the issues, filed its Memorandum of Decision under date of May 14, 1976, denying the petition for a writ of habeas corpus,

It is ORDERED and ADJUDGED that judgment be and is hereby entered in favor of the respondent, dismissing the petition for a writ of habeas corpus.

Dated at New Haven, Connecticut, this 17th day of May, 1976.

SYLVESTER A. MARKOWSKI

Clerk, United States District Court

By James J. Linglio
Deputy In Charge

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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Petitioner

VS.

CIVIL NO. N-75-278

COMMANDING OFFICER, USS CASIMIR
PULASKI (SSBN 633) BLUE CREW
UNITED STATES NAVY, GROTON,
CONNECTICUT,

Respondent

MOTION FOR INJUNCTION PENDING APPEAL

The Petitioner, pursuant to Rule 62 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, hereby moves that this Court continue the injunction and restraining order restraining the Respondent from transferring him from the Groton Naval Base and that he be continued to be assigned to non-combatant duties, pending the appeal.

GREGORY A. JOHNSON, PETITIONER

BY

M. MITCHELL MORSE
JACOBS, JACOBS & GRUDBERG, P.C.
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His Attorney

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Stay
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<p>50. I know that if I secure my enlistment by means of any false statement, willful misrepresentation or concealment as to my qualifications for enlistment, I am liable to trial by court martial or discharge for fraudulent enlistment and that, if rejected because of any disqualification known and concealed by me, I will not be furnished return transportation to place of acceptance.</p> <p>I am of the legal age to enlist. I have never deserted from and I am not a member of the Armed Forces of the United States, the US Coast Guard or any Reserve component thereof; I have never been discharged from the Armed Forces or any type of civilian employment in the United States or any other country on account of disability or through sentence of either civilian or military court unless so indicated by me in item 56, "Remarks" of this contract. I am not now drawing retired pay, a pension, disability allowance, or disability compensation from the government of the United States.</p> <p>51. SECTION 5538 OF TITLE 10 OF THE UNITED STATES CODE is quoted: "(a) The Secretary of the Navy may extend enlistments in the Regular Navy and the Regular Marine Corps in time of war or in time of national emergency declared by the President for such period as he considers necessary in the public interest. Each member whose enlistment is extended under this section shall be discharged not later than six months after the end of the war or national emergency, unless he voluntarily extends his enlistment. (b) The substance of this section shall be included in the enlistment contract of each person enlisting in the Regular Navy or Regular Marine Corps."</p> <p>52. SECTION 5540 OF TITLE 10 OF THE UNITED STATES CODE is quoted: "(a) The senior officer present afloat in foreign waters shall send to the United States by Government or other transportation as soon as possible each enlisted member of the naval service who is serving on a naval vessel, whose term of enlistment has expired, and who desires to return to the United States. However, when the senior officer present afloat considers it essential to the public interest, he may retain such a member on active duty until the vessel returns to the United States. (b) Each member retained under this section - (1) shall be discharged not later than 30 days after his arrival in the United States; and (2) except in time of war is entitled to an increase in basic pay of 25 percent. (c) The substance of this section shall be included in the enlistment contract of each person enlisting in the naval service."</p> <p>53. I understand that, upon enlistment in a Reserve Component of the Armed Forces of the United States, or upon transfer or assignment thereto, I may be ordered to active duty without my consent - for the duration of a war or national emergency declared by Congress and for six months thereafter, or for a period of 24 consecutive months during a period of national emergency declared by the President, or under any other conditions and for such period of time as are presently or hereafter authorized by law. I further understand, as a statutorily obligated member of the Ready Reserve that if I am not assigned to, or participating satisfactorily in, a unit of the Ready Reserve; and have not served on active duty for a total of 24 months, I may be ordered to active duty without my consent, by order of the President, until my total service on active duty equals 24 months, the terms of my enlistment notwithstanding.</p>															

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54. I have had this contract fully explained to me, I understand it, and certify no promise of any kind has been made to me concerning assignment to duty, geographical area, schooling, special programs, assignment except as indicated

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55. I swear (or affirm) that the foregoing statements have been read to me, that my statements have been correctly recorded and are true in all respects and that I fully understand the conditions under which I am enlisting.

SIGNATURE OF WITNESS

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT (First Name - Middle Name - Last Name)

56. REMARKS

57. OATH OF ENLISTMENT (For service in Regular or Reserve Component of the Armed Forces except National Guard or Air National Guard)

I, GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON

(First Name - Middle Name - Last Name)

do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted under the conditions

prescribed by law, this 5TH day of AUGUST, 1971, in the US NAVY for a period of FOUR

years unless sooner discharged by proper authority; and I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to regulations, and the Uniform Code of Military Justice. So help me God.

SIGNATURE

58.

OATH OF ENLISTMENT (For service in National Guard or Air National Guard)

I do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this _____ day of _____, 19____, in the (Army) (Air) National Guard of the State of _____ and as a Reserve of the (Army) (Air Force) with membership in the (Army) National Guard of the United States) (Air National Guard of the United States) for a period of _____ (Years - Months - Days) under the conditions prescribed by law, unless sooner discharged by proper authority.

I, _____ (First Name - Middle Name - Last Name), do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Consti-

tution of the United States and of the State of _____ against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to them; and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States and the Governor of _____ and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to law, regulations, and the Uniform Code of Military Justice. So help me God.

SIGNATURE

59.

CONFIRMATION OF ENLISTMENT

The above oath was subscribed and duly sworn to before me this 5TH day of AUGUST, 1971. To the best of my judgement and belief, enlistee fulfills all legal requirements, and in enlisting this applicant, I have strictly observed the regulations governing such enlistment. The above oath, as filled in, was read to the applicant prior to subscribing thereto.

TYPED NAME, GRADE/RANK, AND ORGANIZATION OF ENLISTING OFFICER

SIGNATURE OF ENLISTING OFFICER

E. J. BRENNAN LT USN

AFES, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

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"TRAINING NUCLEAR FIELD PROGRAM - BUPERSINST 1306.64 OR ENROLLMENT IN THE ADVANCED PHASE OF THE ADVANCED ELECTRONICS FIELD (AEF) PROGRAM AS SET FORTH IN BUPERSMAN 1050300. I UNDERSTAND THIS EXTENSION AGREEMENT BECOMES BINDING UPON EXECUTION AND THEREAFTER MAY NOT BE CANCELLED EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN BUPERSMAN 1050150."

FIRST: I GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON having enlisted in the United States Navy/N Reserve on 05 AUG 71 for 4 years, do hereby voluntarily agree to (further) extend my enlistment for a period of 24 months from its date of expiration. This is the LST extension of my current enlistment.

SECOND: Having reread my current enlistment contract signed on 05 AUG 71, I agree that this voluntary agreement shall subject to provisions and obligations of the contract and shall become a part thereof. I acknowledge that the provisions of 10 U 5540 relating to an increase in basic pay do not apply to this voluntary extension of enlistment.

THIRD: I have had this voluntary extension agreement fully explained to me, I understand it, and certify that no promise of kind has been made to me except NONE

And I do further swear (or affirm) that all statements made by me as now given in this record are correct.

Gregory A. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17TH day of MAY A.D., 1972

SIGNATURE AND GRADE E. H. HORNUNG, CD02 OFFICIAL TITLE ASS'T PERS OFF BY DIR CNTC

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X *Gregory A. Johnson*

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DEPENDENCY APPLICATION / RECORD OF EMERGENCY DATA

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Is beneficiary designation of S.G.L.I. on file?

☐ YES

☒ NO

DATE (If Yes)

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79. SIGNATURE OF DESIGNATOR

Gregory A. Johnson

80. SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICER, TITLE, AND DATE

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CERTIFICATION OF DESIGNATOR

I have reviewed the data entered on this form and certify that it is correct.
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NAVAL NUCLEAR POWER SCHOOL, NTC, BAINBRIDGE, MARYLAND 21905

06 JUN 73: Disenrolled from the Nuclear Power Training Program due to extended hospitalization. If physical qualification is re-established JOHNSON should be rescreened under BUPERS INSTRUCTION 1540.40 {series} before return to the program.

[Signature]
A. A. KUSHLAN, CW03, USN, Personnel Officer
By direction of the Commanding Officer

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

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NAVAL NUCLEAR POWER SCHOOL, NAVAL TRAINING CENTER, BAINBRIDGE, MD. 219

9 Apr 73 : I hereby volunteer for initial submarine training and I understand that I am considered to be a volunteer for duty in any type of submarine in the Atlantic or Pacific Fleet.

Gregory A. Johnson.
(Signature)

WITNESSED:

A. A. Kushlan
A. A. KUSHLAN, CW03, USN, Personnel Officer

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

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"TRAINING NUCLEAR FIELD PROGRAM - BUPERSINST 1306.64 OR ENROLLMENT IN THE ADVANCED PHASE OF THE ADVANCED ELECTRONICS FIELD (AEF) PROGRAM AS SET FORTH IN BUPERSMAN 1050300. I UNDERSTAND THIS EXTENSION AGREEMENT BECOMES BINDING UPON EXECUTION AND THEREAFTER MAY NOT BE CANCELLED EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN BUPERSMAN 1050150."

FIRST: I GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON having enlisted in the United States Navy/N Reserve on 05 AUG 71 for 4 years, do hereby voluntarily agree to (further) extend my enlistment for a period of 2 months from its date of expiration. This is the 1ST extension of my current enlistment.

SECOND: Having reread my current enlistment contract signed on 05 AUG 71, I agree that this voluntary agreement shall be subject to provisions and obligations of the contract and shall become a part thereof. I acknowledge that the provisions of 10 USC 5540 relating to an increase in basic pay do not apply to this voluntary extension of enlistment.

THIRD: I have had this voluntary extension agreement fully explained to me, I understand it, and certify that no promise of kind has been made to me except NONE

And I do further swear (or affirm) that all statements made by me as now given in this record are correct.

Gregory A. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17TH day of MAY A.D., 19 72

SIGNATURE AND GRADE E. H. HORNING, CW02 OFFICIAL TITLE ASS'T PERS OF BY DIR CNTC

SHIP OR STATION
ARMED FORCES EXAMINING AND ENTRANCE STATION

LOCATION
401 N. BROAD ST., PHILADELPHIA, PA.

(Name) (Service Number) (Rate)
GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON D40 90 34 145 46 7756 SNHSEF

I **05 AUG 71** for **FOUR** years, in consideration of the pay, allowances, and benefits which will accrue to me during the continuance of my service, voluntarily agree to extend my enlistment as authorized by Section **509**, of Title 10, United States Code, and the regulations issued pursuant thereto, I voluntarily agree to extend my enlistment for a period of **24** months from the date of expiration thereof, subject to the provisions and obligations of my said contract of enlistment of which this, my voluntary agreement, shall form a part.

REASON FOR EXTENSION: **TRAINING (ADVANCED ELECTRONICS FIELD (AEF) PROGRAM - BUPERS LTR PERS B2131 gn-56 of 31AUG66)** I UNDERSTAND THIS AGREEMENT BECOMES BINDING UPON EXECUTION AND THEREAFTER MAY NOT BE CANCELLED EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN BUPERS MANUAL ART 1050150.

I understand that when a war or national emergency is declared by Congress, or a national emergency is declared by the President, my enlistment, as extended by this agreement, may be further extended until 6 months after the end of such war or national emergency, unless I voluntarily re-enlist or re-extend my enlistment, and that when my enlistment is so extended that provisions of Section 5540, Title 10, United States Code, which authorized an increase of basic pay of 25 percent is inapplicable, and further I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same, and I will obey the orders of the President of the United States and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to regulations and the Uniform Code of Military Justice. So help me God.

SIGNATURE

5TH day of **AUGUST** 1971

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this **5TH** day of **AUGUST** 1971 and this contract is hereby perfected and accepted for and on behalf of the United States. Service thereunder to begin from the date following the date the original contract of enlistment would have expired had it not been extended. This is the **FIRST** extension of current enlistment.

SIGNATURE (See Art. 1268, U.S. Navy Regulations)

E. J. BRENNAN, LT, USN

RANK AND TITLE

LT, USN PROCESSING OFFICER

EXAMINED AND FOUND PHYSICALLY QUALIFIED FOR EXTENSION OF ENLISTMENT: (Examination to be held just prior to expiration of enlistment)

DATE

SHIP OR STATION

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

RANK AND TITLE

ORDER TO CREDIT MILEAGE ALLOWANCE, REENLISTMENT BONUS, LUMP SUM LEAVE, AND OTHER ALLOWANCES AS PROVIDED BY LAW AND REGULATIONS

THE ENLISTMENT DESCRIBED ABOVE, HAS BEEN COMPLETED THIS DATE, _____

AND TOMORROW THE EXTENSION THEREOF FOR _____ MONTHS WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE

NET TIME SERVED IN THIS ENLISTMENT
(Yrs.) (Mos.) (Days)

AT MIDNIGHT THIS DATE, ON _____ (Place)

OTHERWISE ENTITLED TO
(Type of Discharge)

IF AT SEA, NEXT PORT REACHED

☐ I HEREBY ELECT TO RECEIVE REENLISTMENT BONUS UNDER PROVISIONS OF SEC. 208, CAPER COMPENSATION ACT OF 1949

☐ I HEREBY ELECT MILEAGE ALLOWANCE (See LOCATION)

PLACE OF (SEE TRAVEL INSTRUCTIONS)

TOTAL ACTIVE FEDERAL SERVICE
(At Midnight this date)
(Yrs.) (Mos.) (Days)

REENLISTMENT OR EXTENSIONS ENTERED INTO ON OR AFTER 1 OCTOBER 1949, FOR WHICH A BONUS/ALLOWANCE WAS PAYABLE.

(Number)

TOTAL OF PREVIOUS RE-ENLISTMENT BONUSES LESS TOTAL BONUS RECOUPMENTS \$

AMOUNT



HOME ADDRESS AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT, VERIFIED

THE DISBURSING OFFICER IS AUTHORIZED AND DIRECTED TO CREDIT, AS PROVIDED BY LAW AND REGULATIONS, MILEAGE AND RE-ENLISTMENT BONUS AS SHOWN.

MILEAGE ALLOWANCE \$

REENLISTMENT BONUS \$

MISCELLANEOUS

C. O. ORDER NO.

D. O. SYMBOL NO.

SIGNATURE (See BUPERS Manual, Art. 5030100)

RANK AND TITLE

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

JOHNSON, GREGORY ALAN

D40 90 34

145467756

RATE

SNHSEF

BRANCH AND CLASS

USN

AGREEMENT TO EXTEND ENLISTMENT NAVPERS/1070/621/NAVCOMPT 513 (8-69) (FORMERLY NAVPERS 601-1A) S/N-0106-018-6620

PART 1-FORWARD TO BUPERS UPON EXTENSION

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SERVICE SCHOOL COMMAND, NTC, GREAT LAKES, ILLINOIS

3 REMARKS (Use this section to amplify entries in blocks 4 thru 29 below and for other entries when the use of this form is directed in lieu of the Page 13 (NAVPERS 601-13))

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E. H. HORNUNG, CW02, USN, ASS'T PERS OFF BY DIR

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JOHNSON, GREGORY ALAN

USN

RECORD OF EMERGENCY DATA

0580A

SSC, NTC, GLAKES, ILLINOIS 60088

NEVER MARRIED

14. ADDRESS OF SPOUSE incl. ZIP CODE

15. CIT. OF SPOUSE

16. NAMES OF CHILDREN

ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE

SEX

DATE OF BIRTH

DEP.

NONE

17. FATHER

ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE

DEP.

GEORGE LELAND JOHNSON

67 NIEMANN RD, LAKEWOOD, NJ 08701

NO

18. MOTHER {MCKINLEY}

ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE

DEP.

NANCY BELL JOHNSON

67 NIEMANN RD, LAKEWOOD, NJ 08701

NO

19. OTHERS

ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE

RELATIONSHIP

DEP.

NONE

20. NEXT OF KIN OF SPOUSE (NOT HUSBAND/WIFE)

ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE

RELATIONSHIP

DEP.

NONE

NOTE: THIS FORM DOES NOT DESIGNATE OR CHANGE BENEFICIARIES OF GOV'T LIFE INSURANCE. IS BENEFICIARY DESIGNATION OF S.G.L.I. ON FILE? YES NO.

21-23. DESIGNATIONS (not applicable to inactive Fleet Reservists and retired members.)

21. BENEFICIARY(S) FOR UNPAID PAY AND ALLOW.

ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE

RELATIONSHIP

%

GEORGE LELAND JOHNSON

67 NIEMANN RD,
LAKEWOOD, NJ 08701

FATHER

100

22. PERSON TO RECEIVE ALLOTMENT IF MISSING

ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE

% MO.

GEORGE LELAND JOHNSON

67 NIEMANN RD, LAKEWOOD, NJ 08701

30

23. BENEFICIARY(S) FOR GRATUITY PAY
(No spouse or children surviving)

ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE

RELATIONSHIP

%

GEORGE LELAND JOHNSON

67 NIEMANN RD,
LAKEWOOD, NJ 08701

FATHER

100

24. INSURANCE DATA: NAME OF COMPANY OR AGENCY

ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE

POLICY NUMBER

SGLI

212 WASHINGTON ST, NEWARK,
NEW JERSEY 07102

NOT KNOWN

25. LOCATION OF WILL OR OTHER VALUABLE PAPERS:

NONE

Gregory Alan Johnson
GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON

PN1 Bottineau
PN1 BOTTINEAU, 518 38 74

D40 90 34

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JOHNSON, GREGORY ALAN

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TRANSFERS AND RECEIPTS

9ND NTC 1306/66 (12-67)

* See Art. B-2305, BuPers Manual

SHIP OR STATION NTC GREAT LAKES, ILL		NO MOS. SUPD THIS COMMAND NONE	
AUTH: BUPERS TC B-2551			
NAME (Last, first, middle) JOHNSON GREGORY ALAN	D409034	SERVICE NO. 145467756	RATE SN
ACTIVITY TO WHICH TRANSFERRED CO, SSC NTC GLAKES ILL		BRANCH AND CLASS USN	
PURPOSE OF TRANSFER (Duty, instruction, etc.) FOR DUTY TEMINS BE & E SCOL CLCWN 22 NOV 71 PFT DUINS ET A SCOL			
DATE TRANSFERRED 14 OCT 71	SIGNATURE AND RANK E. A. MEDELBERG <i>E. A. Medelberg</i>		
FOR USE OF INTERMEDIATE REPORTING STATIONS (If necessary) ASST PERS OFF OF CNTC			

REPORTED AT (Ultimate destination) SSC NTC GLAKES ILL.	DATE REPORTED 27 OCT 1971	SIGNATURE AND RANK <i>S. H. Hanning</i> E. H. HANNING, CW2, USN ASST PERS OFF BY ILL CNTC
DATE TRANSFERRED	NO. MOS. S /FSD THIS COMMAND	ACTIVITY TO WHICH TRANSFERRED
RATE	PURPOSE OF TRANSFER (Duty, instruction, etc.)	
AUTH:		SIGNATURE AND RANK*
FOR USE OF INTERMEDIATE REPORTING STATIONS (If necessary)		

REPORTED AT (Ultimate destination)	DATE REPORTED	SIGNATURE AND RANK*
NAME (Last, first, middle)	SERVICE NO.	BRANCH AND CLASS
DATE TRANSFERRED	NO. MOS. S /FSD THIS COMMAND	ACTIVITY TO WHICH TRANSFERRED
RATE	PURPOSE OF TRANSFER (Duty, instruction, etc.)	
AUTH:		SIGNATURE AND RANK*
FOR USE OF INTERMEDIATE REPORTING STATIONS (If necessary)		

REPORTED AT (Ultimate destination)	DATE REPORTED	SIGNATURE AND RANK*
NAME (Last, first, middle)	SERVICE NO.	BRANCH AND CLASS

TRANSFERS AND RECEIPTS - NAVPERS 601-12 (New 12-61)
Modified per Bureau approval 5-62)

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ENLISTED CLASSIFICATION RECORD

LAST NAME JOHNSON GREGORY		(First)		(Middle) ALAN		SERVICE NO. 145467756		RATE SNHEE		CLASS 11		CO. NO. 256		D. O. T. OCCUP. CODE 000.000		
YR. BIRTH 53	GCT 60	ARI 64	MECH 59	CLER 50	STB FORM 7	SONAR 61	RADIO 63	ETST 67	TEST SCORE PROFILE							
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SHOP PRACTICE									2							
FLAT SCORE									1							
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09									4							
									LOW 5							
MOST SIGNIFICANT EDUCATION High School						DATES 9/67-6/71		YEARS EDUCATION 12		DEGREE HS		NAME OF COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY				
MAJOR COURSES Academic						SPECIAL STUDIES		ALG.-GEOM.		TRIG.		PHYS.		TYPING		
SPECIALIZED TRAINING (Vocational, trade technical, business)						HIGH SCH.		3		-		1		-		
						COLLEGE						WPM		WPM		
LEISURE TIME ACTIVITIES						SPORTS IN WHICH QUALIFIED										
TALENT FOR PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT						HIGHEST POSITION OF LEADERSHIP										
Plays Piano (by note) 2 yrs.																
MAIN CIVILIAN OCCUPATION (D. O. T. TITLE) STUDENT						EMPLOYER'S NAME										
LOCATION			YRS. SERVICE		WKLY. WAGE		TRADE TEST NAME					SCORE				
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SECOND BEST OCCUPATION (D. O. T. TITLE)								EMPLOYER'S NAME								
LOCATION			YRS. SERVICE		WKLY. WAGE		TRADE TEST NAME					SCORE				
					5											
DUTIES, SKILLS, MACHINES																
OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE																
RIGHT EYE 20/20		LEFT EYE 20/20		RIGHT HANDED X		LEFT HANDED		QUALIFIED SWIMMER		QUALIFIED FOR		NOT QUALIFIED FOR				
								CLASS III								
CODED RECOMMENDATIONS ET-AT-DS-FT-AQ								REMARKS (A/12/-/-) German 2 yrs., HS								
RECOMMENDED TO STRIKE FOR Electronic Equipment Repairman																
Ratings																
PREPARING ACTIVITY NTC GREAT LAKES, ILL								VOLUNTEER FOR Aviation Duty				INITIALS GAJ				
INTERVIEWEE'S SIGNATURE GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON								VERIFIED J.R. KOIVISTO, PN1, USN				DATE 8/27/71				

ENLISTED CLASSIFICATION RECORD

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ADMINISTRATIVE REMARKS

See Art. B-2105, BuPers Manual

SHIP OR STATION

NTC, GREAT LAKES, ILLINOIS 60088

OCT 14 1971

: RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS DURING
RECRUIT TRAINING (MANUAL OF FIRE FIGHTING, NAVPERS 92175):☐ COMPLETED ITEM NUMBERS 3, 17 AND 18 AS INDICATED BELOW
(WINTER SCHEDULE):☒ COMPLETED ITEM NUMBERS 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 16, 17, 18,
19, 26, 34, 35 AND 37 AS INDICATED BELOW (SUMMER
SCHEDULE):

NUMBER-EXERCISE:

OBSERVED INSTRUCTOR DEMONSTRATION OF THE FOLLOWING
EXERCISES:

1. WILD HOSE DEMONSTRATION
2. BASIC HOSE DEMONSTRATION
7. GOOSENECKING EXERCISE
11. P-250 PUMP AND EDUCTOR-FIRE FIGHTING AND DE-WATERING
16. ENGINE ROOM FIRE-MECHANICAL FOAM
18. OBA CANISTER DISPOSAL
19. PAN GASOLINE FIRE
35. HANGAR DECK-RIGGING FIREMAIN JUMPER, FIRE FIGHTING
AND DE-WATERING
37. LIGHT WATER TWINNED AGENT UNIT

PERFORMED THE FOLLOWING EXERCISES AS A MEMBER OF TRAINEE
GROUP:

2. BASIC HOSE EXERCISE
3. INTRODUCTION TO SMALL FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT
5. OPEN TANK CLASS "B" FIRE USING HIGH VELOCITY WATER
FOG
17. OXYGEN BREATHING APPARATUS (OBA)
19. SMALL RECTANGULAR PAN GASOLINE FIRE USING PORTABLE
EXTINGUISHER (CO² AND DRY POWDER TYPES)
26. SIMULATED SHIPBOARD COMPARTMENT CLASS "A" FIRE US-
ING WATER FOG AND SOLID STREAM
34. HANGAR DECK SIMULATED SHIPBOARD CLASS "A" AND "B"
FIRES USING WATER FOG AND SOLID STREAM BELOW DECK
APPROACH.

E.A. Medtberg
E.A. MEDTBERG
ASS'T PERS OFF BY DIR CNIC

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

JOHNSON, GREGORY ALAN

145 46 7756

SERVICE NO.
D409034BRANCH AND CLASS
USN

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SHIP OR STATION

ADMINISTRATIVE REMARKS

See Art. B 2305, BuPers Manual

NTC GREAT LAKES, ILL.

6 AUG 1971

: RECEIVED FOR RECRUIT TRAINING.

OCT 14 1971

: SATISFACTORILY COMPLETED CURRICULUM FOR RECRUIT TRAINING.
(NAVPERS 92353B)

XX
 ADVANCED OR CHANGED IN RATE TO XXX
 AUTH: BUPERS LTR PERS-B21-1001 OF 30 JUN 69. EFFECTIVE THIS DATE.

AUTHORIZED TO WEAR THE NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE MEDAL IN
 ACCORDANCE WITH SECNAV INST 1650.1 SERIES.

COMPLETED COURSE OF INSTRUCTION IN THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR MEMBERS OF
 THE ARMED FORCES OF THE U.S. IN ACCORDANCE WITH U.S. NAVY REGULATIONS,
 ART. 0740.1 AND BPM. ART D-5101.

Attended Drug Orientation Presentations as required by SECNAVINST 6710.1 Series.
 Presentations are a part of the curriculum for personnel undergoing recruit training.

E.A. Medelberg
 E.A. MEDELBERG
 ASS'T PERS OFF BY DIR CHTC

NAME (LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE)

JOHNSON GREGORY ALAN

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SERVICE NO.
 145 46 7756
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ADMINISTRATIVE REMARKS

See Act B-2005, BuPers Manual

SHIP OR STATION

ARMED FORCES EXAMINING AND ENTRANCE STATION, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

AUG 5 1971

I am enlisting/~~XXXXXX~~ in the ADVANCED ELECTRONICS FIELD PROGRAM and have sighted a list of schools/courses available in this category. I have not been promised a specific school as this decision will be made during recruit training/classification and outfitting. School selection depends upon scores I attain on Navy aptitude tests, my eligibility for security clearance, my physical qualifications and Navy training requirements. I must remain qualified by my military and professional performance and satisfactorily complete recruit training, if applicable. In addition to the foregoing, I have been personally interviewed by the Commanding Officer or a recruiting officer and have had all provisions of the ADVANCED ELECTRONICS FIELD PROGRAM explained to me, including the requirement that if my initial enlistment into the ADVANCED ELECTRONICS FIELD PROGRAM is less than six years that I will be obligated to extend my enlistment for a period that will obligates me for six full years active duty from the date of my enlistment in order for me to be eligible for training beyond the Class "A" School level. No promise has been made regarding duty assignment wither submarine or surface duty. I hereby elect to receive recruit training at GREAT LAKES, ILL.

Edward J. Brennan
(SIGNATURE OF ENLISTING OFFICER)

Gregory Alan Johnson
(SIGNATURE OF ENLISTEE)

145 467756

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

JOHNSON, GREGORY ALAN

SERVICE NO.

D40 90 34

BRANCH AND CLASS

USN

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SHIP OR STATION

ARMED FORCES EXAMINING AND ENTRANCE STATION PHILADELPHIA, PA.

AUG 5 1971

_____: I certify that I know how to swim, or if not, that I will cooperate in qualifying as a Class III swimmer. I understand that as a Class III swimmer, I must enter the water feet first from a minimum height of five feet and remain afloat for five minutes. During this time, I must swim 50 yards.

Edward J. Brennan
E.J. BRENNAN, LT, USN
(Witnessing Officer)

Gregory Alan Johnson
(Signature of enlistee)

145 46 7756

NAME Last, First, Middle	JOHNSON, GREGORY ALAN	SERVICE NO.	D40 90 34	BRANCH AND CLASS	USE
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ADMINISTRATIVE REMARKS

See Art 12-21.5 BuPers Manual

SHIP OR STATION

ARMED FORCES EXAMINING AND ENTRANCE STATION, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

AUG 5 1971

: Enlisted/~~re-enlisted~~ this date in the U.S. Navy for
FOUR years in the rate of SNHSEF.

AUTHORITY: NAVCRUITMAN ART B2701

DD Form 53N submitted (if applicable). Meets required visual acuity and special physical standards for the category in which enlisted. Administered the color perception test and was found to (have ~~normal~~ ~~normal~~ color perception. SBTB (was/~~was~~ administered.

SPFB: G 68 A 62 M 64 TOTAL 194

E. J. Brennan
 E.J. BRENNAN, LT, USN
 (SIGNATURE OF ENLISTING OFFICER)

AUG 5 1971

: I am enlisting in the SEAMAN ELECTRONICS FIELD
 (High School/~~High School~~ Training Program) and have sighted a list of schools/courses available in this category. I have not been promised a specific school as this decision will be made during recruit training/classification and outfitting. School selection depends upon scores I attain on Navy aptitude tests, my eligibility for security clearance my physical qualifications, and Navy training requirements. My personal desires will be taken into account in connection with my qualifications and Navy training requirements. I must remain qualified by my military and professional performance and satisfactorily complete recruit training, if applicable. I understand the above statements.

E. J. Brennan
 E.J. BRENNAN, LT, USN
 (SIGNATURE OF ENLISTING OFFICER)

Gregory Alan Johnson
 (SIGNATURE OF ENLISTEE/REENLISTEE)

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

JOHNSON, GREGORY ALAN

SERVICE NO
D40 90 34BRANCH AND CLASS
USN

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RECORD OF EMERGENCY DATA

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RTC NTC SAN DIEGO CALIF

NEVER MARRIED

14. ADDRESS OF SPOUSE incl. ZIP CODE		15. CIT. OF SPOUSE	
16. NAMES OF CHILDREN	ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE	SEX	DATE OF BIRTH
NONE			
17. FATHER	ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE		DEP.
WILLIAM ANDREW JOHNSON	6820 N 63RD ST OMAHA NEBR 68152		NO
18. MOTHER {VANROY}	ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE		DEP.
MYRTLE ANN JOHNSON	6820 N 63RD ST OMAHA NEBR 68152		NO
19. OTHERS	ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE	RELATIONSHIP	DEP.
NONE			
20. NEXT OF KIN OF SPOUSE (NOT HUSBAND/WIFE)	ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE	RELATIONSHIP	DEP.
NONE			
NOTE: THIS FORM DOES NOT DESIGNATE OR CHANGE BENEFICIARIES OF GOV'T LIFE INSURANCE. IS BENEFICIARY DESIGNATION OF S.G.L.I. ON FILE? YES X NO.			
21. 23. DESIGNATIONS (not applicable to inactive Fleet Reservists and retired members.)			
21. BENEFICIARY(S) FOR UNPAID PAY AND ALLOW.	ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE	RELATIONSHIP	%
WILLIAM ANDREW JOHNSON	6820 N 63RD ST OMAHA NEBR 68152	FATHER	100
22. PERSON TO RECEIVE ALLOTMENT IF MISSING	ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE		% MO.
TO ACCUMULATE			
23. BENEFICIARY(S) FOR GRATUITY PAY (No spouse or children surviving)	ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE	RELATIONSHIP	%
WILLIAM ANDREW JOHNSON	6820 N 63RD ST OMAHA NEBR 68152	FATHER	100
24. INSURANCE DATA: NAME OF COMPANY OR AGENCY	ADDRESS incl. ZIP CODE	POLICY NUMBER	
SERVICEMEN'S GROUP LIFE INS	212 WASHINGTON ST NEWARK NJ 07114	NOT KNOWN	
25. LOCATION OF WILL OR OTHER VALUABLE PAPERS:			
6820 N 63RD ST OMAHA NEBR 68152			

Gregory Alan Johnson
GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON

Officer
C P PONTILLAS 8865630W

BB7 08 77 | 506 74 2329 | 09 AUG 71 | ROM CATH | USN
JOHNSON GREGORY ALAN | SR

SHIP OR STATION
ARMED FORCES EXAMINING AND ENTRANCE STATION

LOCATION
401 N. BROAD ST., PHILADELPHIA, PA.

(Name) **GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON** (Service Number) **140 90 34** (Rate) **145 46 7756** **SNHSET**
I **05 AUG 71** for **FOUR** years, in consideration of the pay, allowances, and benefits which will accrue to me during the continuance of

my service, voluntarily agree to extend my enlistment as authorized by Section **509**, of Title 10, United States Code, and the regulations issued pursuant thereto. I voluntarily agree to extend my enlistment for a period of **24** months from the date of expiration thereof, subject to the provisions and obligations of my said contract of enlistment of which this, my voluntary agreement, shall form a part.

REASON FOR EXTENSION: **TRAINING (ADVANCED ELECTRONICS FIELD (AEF) PROGRAM - BUPERS LTR PERS D2131 CD-56 of 31AUG66)** I UNDERSTAND THIS AGREEMENT BECOMES BINDING UPON EXECUTION AND THEREAFTER MAY NOT BE CANCELLED EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN BUPERS MANUAL ART 1050150.

I understand that when a war or national emergency is declared by Congress, or a national emergency is declared by the President, my enlistment, as extended by this agreement, may be further extended until 6 months after the end of such war or national emergency, unless I voluntarily re-enlist or re-extend my enlistment, and that when my enlistment is so extended that provisions of Section 5540, Title 10, United States Code, which authorized an increase of basic pay of 25 percent is inapplicable, and further I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same, and I will obey the orders of the President of the United States and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to regulations and the Uniform Code of Military Justice. So help me God.

SIGNATURE

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this **5TH** day of **AUGUST** **1971** and this contract is hereby perfected and accepted for and on behalf of the United States. Service thereunder to begin from the date following the date the original contract of enlistment would have expired had it not been extended. This is the **FIRST** extension of current enlistment.

SIGNATURE (See Art. 1268, U.S. Navy Regulations)

E. J. BRENNAN, LT, USN

RANK AND TITLE

LT, USN PROCESSING OFFICER

EXAMINED AND FOUND PHYSICALLY QUALIFIED FOR EXTENSION OF ENLISTMENT: (Examination to be held just prior to expiration of enlistment)

DATE SHIP OR STATION

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

RANK AND TITLE

ORDER TO CREDIT MILEAGE ALLOWANCE, REENLISTMENT BONUS, LUMP SUM LEAVE PAYMENT AND OTHER ALLOWANCES AS PROVIDED BY LAW AND REGULATIONS

THE ENLISTMENT DESCRIBED ABOVE, HAS BEEN COMPLETED THIS DATE.

AND TOMORROW THE EXTENSION THEREOF FOR _____ MONTHS WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE.

NET TIME SERVED IN THIS ENLISTMENT
(Yrs.) (Mos.) (Days)

AT MIDNIGHT THIS DATE, ON DUTY AT (Place)

OTHERWISE ENTITLED TO
(Type of Discharge)

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☐ ENTER CHECKCASE FOR _____ DAYS EXCESS LEAVE
FROM _____ TO _____

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☐ I HEREBY ELECT TO RECEIVE REENLISTMENT BONUS UNDER PROVISIONS OF SEC. 208, CAREER COMPENSATION ACT OF 1949

☐ I HEREBY ELECT MILEAGE ALLOWANCE TO (LOCATION) _____

PLACE OF (SEE TRAVEL INSTRUCTIONS) _____

TOTAL ACTIVE FEDERAL SERVICE
(At Midnight this date)
(Yrs.) (Mos.) (Days)

REENLISTMENT OR EXTENSIONS ENLINED INTO
ON OR AFTER 1 OCTOBER 1949, FOR WHICH A
BONUS/ALLOWANCE WAS PAYABLE.

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TOTAL BONUS RECOUPMENTS

AMOUNT

☐ HOME ADDRESS AT TIME OF
ENLISTMENT, VERIFIED

THE DISBURSING OFFICER IS AUTHORIZED AND
DIRECTED TO CREDIT, AS PROVIDED BY LAW AND
REGULATIONS, MILEAGE AND RE-ENLISTMENT
BONUS AS SHOWN.

MILEAGE ALLOWANCE

REENLISTMENT BONUS

MISCELLANEOUS

C. O. ORDER NO.

D. O. SYMBOL NO.

SIGNATURE (See BUPERS Manual, Art. 5030100)

RANK AND TITLE

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

JOHNSON, GREGORY ALAN

SERVICE NO.

145467756

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AGREEMENT TO EXTEND ENLISTMENT NAVPERS/1070/621/NAVCOMPT 513 (5-69) (FORMERLY NAVPERS 601-1A) S/N-0106-018-6620

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ADMINISTRATIVE REMARKS

SHIP OR STATION

ARMED FORCES EXAMINING AND ENTRANCE STATION, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

AUG 04 1971

: DISCHARGED WITH HDCC.

REASON: IMMEDIATE ENLISTMENT US.

AUTHORITY: BUPERS MAN 3850300(10)d(1)(c).

Edward J. Brennan

E. J. BRENNAN,
LT, USN
PROCESSING OFFICER

145 46 7756

NAME

JOHNSON, GREGORY ALAN

DATE 84

BRANCH USN CLASS

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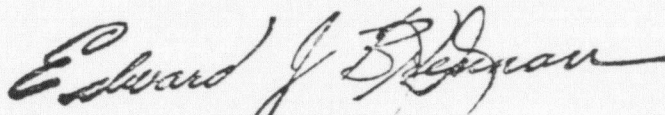
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MAY 26 1971

: Enlisted this date in the U.S. Naval Reserve for
06 years in the rate of SR. Assigned to the
CACHE POOL. Has agreed to enlist USN for 04 years.

Authority: NAVCRUITMAN ART B21101

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E.J. BRENNAN
LT, USN
PROCESSING OFFICER

NAME Last, First, Middle

JOHNSON, GREGORY ALAN

SERVICE NO. 0409034

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RECORD OF EMERGENCY DATA

1. SHIP OR STATION NRBS, LAKEWOOD, NEW JERSEY				
2. NAME OF SPOUSE NEVER MARRIED		PLACE OF MARRIAGE	DATE OF MARRIAGE	
ADDRESS			CITIZENSHIP	
3. NAMES OF CHILDREN	ADDRESS	SEX	DATE OF BIRTH	DEP.
NONE				
4. FATHER GEORGE LELAND JOHNSON	ADDRESS 67 NIEMANN ROAD, LAKEWOOD, NEW JERSEY 08701			DEP. NO
5. MOTHER JOHNSON NANCY BELL (MCKINLEY)	ADDRESS SAME AS #4			DEP. NO
6. OTHER Name:	Address:	Relationship:	Dep.	
NONE				
7. NEXT OF KIN OF SPOUSE	ADDRESS	RELATIONSHIP	DEP.	
NONE				
8. DESIGNATIONS				
a. I designate the following beneficiary or beneficiaries for unpaid pay and allowances which includes enlisted members savings deposits.				
NAME	ADDRESS	RELATIONSHIP	%	
GEORGE LELAND JOHNSON	SAME AS #4	FATHER	100	
b. I designate the following person to receive an allotment of my pay if I become missing or unable to transmit funds.				
NAME	ADDRESS	% OF PAY EACH MO.		
George Leland Johnson	SAME AS #4	30		
c. In the event of my death I understand that a six months death gratuity will be paid to my surviving spouse and if no surviving spouse to my legal child or children. However, in the event I am not survived by a legal spouse or eligible children, I designate the following to receive the death gratuity (NOTE: Name parents, brothers or sisters only).				
NAME	ADDRESS	RELATIONSHIP	%	
GEORGE LELAND JOHNSON	SAME AS #4	FATHER	100	
9. INSURANCE POLICIES IN FORCE INCLUDING USGLI, NSLI AND SGLI:				
NAME OF COMPANY	ADDRESS	POLICY NUMBER		
10. LOCATION OF WILL OR OTHER VALUABLE DOCUMENTS		11. RELIGION METHODIST	12. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 145-46-7756	
SIGNATURE OF DESIGNATOR <i>Gregory Alan Johnson</i> GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON	SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF WITNESS <i>David L. Klink</i> DAVID L. KLINK, BT1, USN		DATE SIGNED 14 MAY 1971	
NAME OF DESIGNATOR GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON	FILE/SERV. NO. 070 9034	GRADE SNB EF	BRANCH OF SERVICE USN	

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NONE						
<p>50. I know that if I secure my enlistment by means of any false statement, willful misrepresentation or concealment as to my qualifications for enlistment, I am liable to trial by court martial or discharge for fraudulent enlistment and that, if rejected because of any disqualification known and concealed by me, I will not be furnished return transportation to place of acceptance.</p> <p>I am of the legal age to enlist. I have never deserted from and I am not a member of the Armed Forces of the United States, the US Coast Guard or any Reserve component thereof; I have never been discharged from the Armed Forces or any type of civilian employment in the United States or any other country on account of disability or through sentence of either civilian or military court unless so indicated by me in Item 86, "Remarks" of this contract. I am not now drawing retired pay, a pension, disability allowance, or disability compensation from the government of the United States.</p> <p>51. SECTION 5538 OF TITLE 10 OF THE UNITED STATES CODE is quoted: "(a) The Secretary of the Navy may extend enlistments in the Regular Navy and the Regular Marine Corps in time of war or in time of national emergency declared by the President for such period as he considers necessary in the public interest. Each member whose enlistment is extended under this section shall be discharged not later than six months after the end of the war or national emergency, unless he voluntarily extends his enlistment. (b) The substance of this section shall be included in the enlistment contract of each person enlisting in the Regular Navy or Regular Marine Corps."</p> <p>52. SECTION 5540 OF TITLE 10 OF THE UNITED STATES CODE is quoted: "(a) The senior officer present afloat in foreign waters shall send to the United States by Government or other transportation as soon as possible each enlisted member of the naval service who is serving on a naval vessel, whose term of enlistment has expired, and who desires to return to the United States. However, when the senior officer present afloat considers it essential to the public interest, he may retain such a member on active duty until the vessel returns to the United States. (b) Each member retained under this section - (1) shall be discharged not later than 30 days after his arrival in the United States; and (2) except in time of war is entitled to an increase in basic pay of 25 percent. (c) The substance of this section shall be included in the enlistment contract of each person enlisting in the naval service."</p> <p>53. I understand that, upon enlistment in a Reserve Component of the Armed Forces of the United States, or upon transfer or assignment thereto, I may be ordered to active duty without my consent - for the duration of a war or national emergency declared by Congress and for six months thereafter, or for a period of 24 consecutive months during a period of national emergency declared by the President, or under any other conditions and for such period of time as are presently or hereafter authorized by law. I further understand, as a statutorily obligated member of the Ready Reserve that if I am not assigned to, or participating satisfactorily in, a unit of the Ready Reserve; and have not served on active duty for a total of 24 months, I may be ordered to active duty without my consent, by order of the President, until my total service on active duty equals 24 months, the terms of my enlistment notwithstanding.</p>						

54. I have had this contract fully explained to me, I understand it, and certify that no promise of any kind has been made to me concerning assignment to duty, geographical location, special programs, assignment of government quarters, or transportation of dependents except as indicated **NONE**

55. I swear (or affirm) that the foregoing statements have been read to me, that my statements have been correctly recorded and are true in all respects and that I fully understand the conditions under which I am enlisting.

SIGNATURE OF WITNESS

R. S. NEALE, CPT, AGC

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT (First Name - Middle Name - Last Name)

X Gregory Alan Johnson

56. REMARKS

57. OATH OF ENLISTMENT (For service in Regular or Reserve Component of the Armed Forces except National Guard or Air National Guard)

I, GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON, do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted under the conditions
(First Name - Middle Name - Last Name)

prescribed by law, this 26TH day of MAY, 1971, in the US NAVY RESERVE for a period of
SIX years unless sooner discharged by proper authority; and I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend
the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I
will obey the orders of the President of the United States and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to regulations, and the
Uniform Code of Military Justice. So help me God.

SIGNATURE

X Gregory Alan Johnson

58.

OATH OF ENLISTMENT (For service in National Guard or Air National Guard)

I do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this _____ day of _____, 19____, in the (Army) (Air) National
Guard of the State of _____ and as a Reserve of the (Army) (Air Force) with membership in the (Army
National Guard of the United States) (Air National Guard of the United States) for a period of _____
(Years - Months - Days)
under the conditions prescribed by law, unless sooner discharged by proper authority.

I, _____, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Consti-
(First Name - Middle Name - Last Name)

tution of the United States and of the State of _____ against all enemies, foreign and domestic;
that I will bear true faith and allegiance to them; and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States and the Governor of
_____ and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to law, regula-
tions, and the Uniform Code of Military Justice. So help me God.

SIGNATURE

59.

CONFIRMATION OF ENLISTMENT

The above oath was subscribed and duly sworn to before me this 26TH day of MAY, 1971.
To the best of my judgement and belief, enlistee fulfills all legal requirements, and in enlisting this applicant, I have strictly observed the regulations
governing such enlistment. The above oath, as filled in, was read to the applicant prior to subscribing thereto.

TYPED NAME, GRADE/RANK, AND ORGANIZATION OF ENLISTING
OFFICER

R. S. NEALE, CPT AGC
AFES PHILADELPHIA, PA.

SIGNATURE OF ENLISTING OFFICER

USS CASIMIR PULASKI (SSBN 633)

FLEET POST OFFICE
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10001

SSBN633/CES/jgb

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Ser: 191B

8 June 1975

From: Commanding Officer, USS CASIMIR PULASKI (SSBN633) BLUE
To: Chief of Naval Personnel (Attn: Pers 513)

Subj: Navy Enlisted Classification Removal in the case of
ETR3 G. A. JOHNSON, USN, 145-46-7756; withdrawal
of request for

Ref: (a) SSBN633(BLUE) ltr ser 80B of 18 March 1975
(NAVPERS 1221/1 NEC Change Recommendation)

1. Reference (a) requested that NEC 3353 be removed in the case of ETR3 G.A. JOHNSON, USN, 145-46-7756 due primarily to his application for Conscientious Objector Status. Since submission of this request, Petty Officer JOHNSON's application for Conscientious Objector status has been disapproved by a panel which met during the latter half of May 1975.

2. During the past off-crew training period and during the current advanced site refit prior to receiving verbal notification of the Chief of Naval Personnel's disapproval of Petty Officer JOHNSON's request for conscientious objector status, Petty Officer JOHNSON was assigned specific qualification goals in the theoretical aspects of the operation and maintenance of a Naval Nuclear Propulsion Plant. Since notification of disapproval of Petty Officer JOHNSON's request, he has been assigned full duties and responsibilities commensurate with his rate within the Reactor Controls Division. Petty Officer JOHNSON has readily accepted his assigned duties and has performed them satisfactorily. Based upon his satisfactory performance over the last three months and disapproval of his request for Conscientious Objector status, the request for NEC 3353 removal is withdrawn.

R. L. Starck
R. L. STARCK

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no action
taken.

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From: Chief of Naval Personnel
To: MR3 Gregory A. JOHNSON, USN, 145-46-7756

Via: Commanding Officer
USS CASHEIR POLAKI (SSN613) (ALJL)
FPO New York 09501

Subj: Discharge from the U. S. Navy as a Conscientious Objector;
request for

Ref: (a) Your ltr of 3 Nov 74

1. By reference (a) you requested discharge by reason of conscientious objection.

2. Your request for discharge by reason of conscientious objection was reviewed by a panel of officer and enlisted members who recommended that your petition be denied. Your commanding officer recommended disapproval of your case since he felt that your idealistic concepts are not incompatible with continued military service. Further, he was not of the opinion that your request is based on deeply held consistent objection to military service which is inherent in conscientious objection. The investigating officer in your case concluded that you lack a depth of conviction in your professed beliefs, that whatever beliefs you may hold regarding conscientious objection are shallow, poorly formulated and inconsistent; he further noted that statements made by you during your interview with him were contradictory with the contents of your written application. This, he felt clearly showed that your knowledge and understanding of the basis for your beliefs were plainly cursory, as was further substantiated by your admission that you had virtually no knowledge of the books or authors' philosophy upon whom you base your claimed beliefs. The doctor who interviewed you in February 1974 in connection with your conscientious objection found no medical problems; however, he did state that you are somewhat confused and that your philosophy "doesn't make much sense." The medical officer who interviewed you in November 1974 in connection with your present application also verified that you have no illness, but was also of the opinion that your professed beliefs have not fully crystallized. Finally, the panel noted that neither Chaplain DOLAN who interviewed you in November 1974, nor Chaplain PURDIE who interviewed you in February 1975 recommended that you be discharged by reason of conscientious objection. Chaplain DOLAN believes your insight is limited and that your philosophical concepts

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are still unresolved; and Chaplain FURMAN stated that your thoughts and decisions lacked clarity.

3. After weighing all information presented in your case, the panel concluded that you have failed to prove beyond a reasonable doubt that your beliefs are held with the strength and conviction of traditional religious beliefs, nor are they so strong as to give you no rest or peace should you be required to complete the remainder of your enlistment contract and extension thereof as voluntarily entered into. Additionally, you have not provided sufficient information for the panel to consider whether you are against all wars and killing under any and all conditions as is required by current directives.

4. Accordingly, the recommendation of the panel is concurred in and your request for discharge by reason of conscientious objection is disapproved.

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Ser: 129B
30 April 1975

From: Commanding Officer, USS CASIMIR PULASKI (SSBN633) BLUE
To: Chief of Naval Personnel

Subj: Request for Conscientious Objector Status (1-0)
in the case of ETR3 Gregory A. JOHNSON,
145-46-7756, USN

Ref: (a) BUPERSMAN ART 1860120

Encl: (1) Report of Investigation of CO request conducted by
LT F.W. KRAFFT, 078-32-0543, USN
(2) Rebuttal to the investigative report by ETR3
G.A. JOHNSON, 145-46-7756, USN

1. In accordance with reference (a), enclosures (1) and (2) are forwarded fully concurring in the recommendations of the investigating officer and recommending disapproval of the request for conscientious objector status (1-0) in the case of ETR3 Gregory A. JOHNSON, 145-46-7756, USN

2. A thorough review of enclosures (1) and (2) and my personal contact and interviews with Petty Officer JOHNSON over the last five months has not convinced me that Petty Officer JOHNSON's developing idealistic concepts are incompatible with continued military service. While he has perhaps pursued his philosophic development more deeply and extensively than others, his present disenchantment with continued military service is based primarily on his belief that further service will limit what he perceives as his potential philosophic development rather than a deeply held, consistent objection to military service which is inherent in conscientious objection.

3. Pending final Chief of Naval Personnel action on Petty Officer JOHNSON's request, I have assigned him, reasonable qualification goals in the Basic Engineering concepts of a Naval Nuclear Propulsion Plant which are commensurate with his rate and previous training. During this period he is not being required to pursue any watchstation qualification or perform any maintenance on the propulsion plant. Petty Officer JOHNSON will shortly deploy with PULASKI (BLUE) to the advanced refit site in Holy Loch, Scotland, for the conduct of a routine SSBN refit period. Rapid action and message notification of the Chief of Naval Personnel's decision is requested so that Petty Officer JOHNSON's status is known prior to the commencement of PULASKI's next strategic deterrent patrol.

R. L. Starck
R. L. STARCK

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U.S.S. CASIMIR PULASKI (SSBN 633)
FLEET POST OFFICE
NEW YORK. 09501

18 April 1975

From: F.W. KRAFFT, LT, 078-32-0543, USN
To: Commanding Officer, USS CASIMIR PULASKI (SSBN633) BLUE
Subj: ETR3 G.A. JOHNSON, 145-46-7756, USN; request for conscientious
objector 1-0; investigation of

Ref: (a) BUPERSMAN Article 1860120

Encl: (1) ETR3 JOHNSON's special request DTD 5 November 1974
(2) ETR3 JOHNSON's application IAW reference (a)
(3) Standard Form 513, Clinical Record, Consultation
Sheet DTD 26 November 1973.
(4) NAVMED 6150/3 Medical Officers evaluation DTD 28 February 1974.
(5) Standard Form 600, Health Record DTD 18 November 1974.
(6) Chaplain, USS CANOPUS (AS-34), ltr, dtd 21 November 1974
(7) Chaplain, Naval Submarine Base New London ltr, DTD 12 February
1975
(8) Standard Form 513, Clinical Record, Consultation Sheet
dtd 6 March 1975.
(9) ETR3 G.A. JOHNSON's LTR dtd 25 March 1975
(10) ETR3 G.A. JOHNSON's LTR dtd 18 April 1975
(11) Summary of Hearing

1. Preliminary Statement

As verbally directed by the Commanding Officer, USS CASIMIR PULASKI (BLUE), an investigation in accordance with reference (a) was conducted to determine whether or not ETR3 G.A. JOHNSON's request for conscientious objector status (1-0) meets the requirements of reference (a).

Prior to conducting the hearing required by reference (a), I thoroughly familiarized myself with reference (a). I consulted several times with JAG personnel assigned to the Naval Legal Service Office, Newport, New London Branch. Based upon their recommendations I reviewed several case histories of conscientious objectors and familiarized myself with those texts which Petty Officer JOHNSON had mentioned in his application as forming the basis of his belief.

The hearing required by reference (a) was conducted and completed on 3 April 1975. The applicant appeared at the hearing but was not accompanied by counsel. At my suggestion and with Petty Officer JOHNSON's concurrence, his Division Officer and Senior Petty Officer were present at the hearing. The nature and purpose of the hearing were explained to the applicant and understood by him. A verbatim record of the hearing was not recorded. The investigative officer's summary of the hearing is included as enclosure (11).

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2. Findings of Fact/Pertinent Evidence

A. Petty Officer JOHNSON submitted his request for classification as a conscientious objector (1-0) on 5 November 1974 only six days after reporting onboard USS CASIMIR PULASKI (SSBN633) at the advanced refit site in Holy Loch, Scotland. Prior to reporting to PULASKI he had been assigned to the advanced site tender, USS CANOPUS (AS-32), for a period of 50 days. Due to the short time remaining prior to PULASKI's scheduled deployment and the lack of psychiatric facilities at the advanced site processing in accordance with reference (a) was not possible prior to sailing. Petty Officer JOHNSON deployed with PULASKI on a strategic deterrent patrol and processing held in abeyance until the completion of patrol and the crew's return to CONUS. As required by reference (a) Petty Officer JOHNSON was removed from those duties to which he objected and performed duties as messman for the entire patrol period. Upon return to CONUS and the authorized R and R period processing in accordance with reference (a) continued.

B. All medical and chaplain personnel who have interviewed with Petty Officer JOHNSON have considered him to be basically sincere in his beliefs. However, each have reservations concerning the validity, logic, and rationale of his convictions. For example:

(1) Chaplain DOLAGHAN is skeptical of Petty Officer JOHNSON's request because he has taken government pay for 39 months of valuable training, and has waited until being assigned to sea duty to apply for conscientious objector.

(2) Chaplain PURDHAM states that it would not be detrimental to ETR3 JOHNSON or the Navy if he were to remain on active duty. (see enclosure (7)).

(3) The medical officer signing enclosure (4) states that Petty Officer JOHNSON is confused in his ideas, that his philosophy does not make sense, and that he may have a thought disorder. He concludes by stating that Petty Officer JOHNSON is a "normal, confused male." (See enclosure (4)).

(4) CDR P.H. FARRIER, MC, USN states that the applicant indicated he was willing to perform all his required military duties while his application was being processed. (See enclosure (5)).

C. The following pertinent statements and/or facts are taken from ETR3 JOHNSON's application for CO status (See enclosure (2)):

(1) The books which stimulated his original thought were LAUTZU's translated words and the "Autobiography of a YOGI."

(2) He discontinued his efforts in requesting a discharge for conscientious objection in August 1974 because (a) he did not have

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enough time, (b) his parents did not agree with him, and (c) it was better for all concerned.

(3) When faced with submarine duty upon reporting to CASIMIR PULASKI, he decided that the submission of the application was a duty to himself and his conscience.

(4) No foreseeable circumstance would ever require him to take conscious life.

(5) He is not a member of any religious sect or organization.

D. The following pertinent information is taken from statements made by Petty Officer JOHNSON during the hearing on 3 April 1975. Enclosure (11) is a summary by the investigating officer of that hearing.

(1) He would take a conscious life if faced with a self-defense situation.

(2) he was initiated into a YOGI/Transcendental Meditation group in his home town in New Jersey.

(3) His primary objection with continued military duty is that he will not have sufficient time to practice his beliefs.

(4) Military forces must exist to protect the masses.

(5) If his request for conscientious objector status 1-0 was denied, he would do the job that he was trained for until the end of his enlistment.

I. The following excerpts are taken from the reference material listed in Petty Officer JOHNSON's application as "important stimuli in the formation of his beliefs

(1) LAO-TZE's The CANNON OF REASON AND VIRTUE, page 129:

"One should keep the obligations of his contract and exact not from others. Those who have virtue attend to their obligations; those who have no virtue attend to their claims."

(2) LAO-TZU's TAO TE CHING, page 89

Arms are unblest among tools and not the superior man's tools. Only when it is unavoidable he uses them. Peace and quietude he holdeth high. He conquers but rejoices not.

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(3) LAO-TZE's THE CANON OF REASON AND VIRTUE, page 116

"One governs a great country as you would fry small fish."
This indicates that the eating of flesh is not wrong or
immoral.

3. OPINIONS

A. Petty Officer JOHNSON is sincere in the fact that he personally believes his present beliefs qualify him for conscientious objector status. Everyone (medical/psychiatric/religious personnel) including myself have been convinced of this fact.

B. Petty Officer JOHNSON lacks depth of conviction in his beliefs. He failed to pursue his request in August 1974 with little pressure or opposition. Only when faced with the situation of an arduous deployment schedule aboard an SSBN, even though he had served for a period of 50 days aboard an SSBN tender where he was in nearly as close proximity to deterrent war concepts, did he again consider requesting CO status. He has stated to the investigating officer and to Chaplains DOLAGHAN and PURDHAM that if his request is denied he would do the military job he was trained for. Additionally, both Chaplains DOLAGHAN and PURDHAM felt that continued military service in his present position would not be detrimental to him or the Navy.

C. Petty Officer JOHNSON's beliefs are shallow, poorly formulated, and inconsistent. Statements made during the hearing and in his application are contradictory, particularly those concerning the necessity for military forces. When confronted with exact quotations from those books which he claims forms the foundation of his beliefs, he claimed no knowledge of their existence or content. His knowledge and understanding of these texts were plainly cursory.

D. Petty Officer JOHNSON does not meet the requirements of reference (a), for classification as 1-0 conscientious objector.

4. Recommendation

A. Disapproval of Petty Officer JOHNSON's request for classification as a 1-0 conscientious objector.

B. Retention onboard as a nuclear propulsion plant operator.

C. Assignment of engineering department qualification goals in the theoretical applications of the propulsion plant while final processing of his application continues.


F. W. KRAFFT

SPECIAL REQUEST/AUTHORIZATION
NAVPERS 1336/3 (Rev. 1-71)

(Not) be used for request for transfer) S/N 0106-063-8431

NAME (Last, first, middle initial)

JOHNSON, GREGORY A.

RATE

ETR3

SERVICE NUMBER/SSN

145467756

SHIP OR STATION

U.S.S. CASIMIR PULASKI

DATE OF REQUEST

5, NOV. 1974

DEPARTMENT/DIVISION/WARD

ENG. / RC

DUTY SECTION/GROUP

PORT

NATURE OF REQUEST

☐ LEAVE

☐ SPECIAL LIBERTY

☐ SPECIAL PAY

☐ COMMUTED RATIONS

☒ OTHER (Below)

NO. DAYS REQUEST

FROM (Date and time)

TO (Date and time)

DISTANCE (Miles)

MODE OF TRAVEL

☐ AIR

☐ TRAIN

☐ BUS

☐ CAR

LEAVE ADDRESS (Street, box/route no., City, State, Zip Code)

TELEPHONE NUMBER

REASON FOR REQUEST I RESPECTFULLY REQUEST THAT I BE CONSIDERED FOR A 1-0 CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTOR STATUS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 1860120 OF THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL MANUAL. REFER TO ATTACHED SUPPLEMENT.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT:

Gregory A. Johnson ETR3

I AM ELIGIBLE AND OBLIGATE MYSELF TO PERFORM ALL DUTIES OF PERSON MAKING APPLICATION -

SIGNATURE OF STANDBY

DUTY STATION

PERSONNEL OFFICE

EARNED LEAVE

DAYS AS OF:

LEAVE THIS FISCAL YEAR

DATE LAST PAID

RECOMMENDED APPROVAL

☒ YES

☐ NO

SIGNATURE AND RANK/RATE/TITLE/DATE (See attached memo)
W.E. Purnell/ETC/M(55)/RC LNO/ 5 NOV 74

☒ YES

☐ NO

SIGNATURE AND RANK/RATE/TITLE/DATE
*RD Roberts RC DIV OFF 8 NOV 74

☐ YES

☐ NO

SIGNATURE AND RANK/RATE/TITLE/DATE

☐ YES

☐ NO

SIGNATURE AND RANK/RATE/TITLE/DATE

☒ APPROVED

☐ DISAPPROVED

SIGNATURE

REASON FOR DISAPPROVAL

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EWEL (1)
HITCHHIKING IS PROHIBITED

Att, Officer Johnson seems sincere in his beliefs. He is an extra body who will definitely not contribute to ship's morale. In fact he said if we were to launch an actual attack, he could not participate and felt he may even be compelled to attempt to stop the launch. If this is true, he would be a security risk. I do not feel that his background and past events make him eligible for this C.O. application, but I do recommend he be considered

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- (10) (a) Father, Living, Johnson, George William, 67 Hickman Road, Lakewood, New Jersey.
(b) Mother, Living, Johnson, Nancy Bell McKinley, 67 Hickman Road, Lakewood, New Jersey
- (11) (a) Father: Protestant
(b) Mother: Protestant
- (12) No
- (13) N/A
- (14) The nature of my conviction is best described as a partial understanding of mankind's purpose in life. This purpose is spiritual evolution. The road of evolution is realization. I said partial understanding because if I totally understood all there is to understand about existence and God, my self-evolutionary process would be complete and I would no longer be a part of this material world. I am to a point in my evolution though that it's clear to me, that military forces, in existence to ultimately take conscious life, in order to maintain possession of material things, is wrong. Also taking part in any action that would cause conscious life to be taken, is wrong. It should, in my opinion, be evident that if any man were to see that these things are true beyond doubt, he could not perform his duties in, or remain a part of any military force, with a clear and unburdened conscience.
- (15) Before becoming a part of the Navy I was, as many young people of today are, sheltered from a solitary life. I had never for any great length of time been separated from my parents, grandparents, friends, and the way of life that I was so totally attuned to. Thoughts concerning purpose in life only occasionally entered my mind as a child. This would usually happen when I was restricted to my home, which happened occasionally when I was caught by my parents doing something wrong. So although these thoughts did occur at times during my childhood, I couldn't hold and contemplate them, simply because I had the young and incapable mind of a child. I remember though, asking myself many questions as a child. Such as: What's the reason for life?, What is really important in life?, what would it really matter if I were to die?, and many others. I rarely brought up questions like this to my parents, because it was apparent to me, even then, that they didn't understand that part of me. Consequently I kept any such thoughts to myself until later years.

In high school I was secure and happy, but realize now that I was extremely lazy, because I had no idea how work, both mental and physical could be spiritually beneficial. My laziness became a problem towards the end of my time in high school. I had a simple job at a combined car wash and gas station and still lived at home with my parents. They wouldn't have had that part of it any different, (where I lived) but because they saw no future for me which satisfied their desires, they forced me to make a decision on a definite plan or step which would carry me into a future that suited them. I didn't see many choices at the time. College was out of the question for two reasons. One, it was too late to submit applications for the upcoming semester and more importantly, I knew that I would feel the same as I did in High School, concerning purpose in what I would be doing, and would therefore be wasting my time and my parents money by eventually dropping out. My decision came suddenly and with virtually no analysis. My closest friend at the time was joining the Navy and I quite simply decided to do the same. Once in the Navy, I immediately experienced the isolation from home, and personal solitude, deeply. Questions concerning purpose in life and purpose in military forces arose within me and became strong. They hampered me all through my first year in the Navy, but I could in no way act upon them because I had no answers to these questions and didn't know how to go about getting them. The unanswered, self-asked questions that I had, reached a climax sometime during March, April, or May of 1973. At various times during that period, I considered the possibility that I might be insane, or at least have reached a state of emotional and mental disorder that other people might consider insanity. People that I know at home and friends at school in Bainbridge worried, at the time, about my state of mind. Fortunately though, during those critical months I got my first glimpses of truth. The answers and realizations all came from within myself but seemed to breakthrough into my conscious mind with help from external stimuli. The main sources of stimuli during this period were two people and one book. The people were in my first nuclear power school class at Bainbridge, Maryland. One Thomas Deagel helped to stimulate thought through philosophical discussions that we engaged in. The other person, one Petty Officer Third Class Woodward, helped me because he was a Christian, and we discussed Christianity, God, Jesus Christ, and the Bible. These discussions helped to change some biased views that I had towards Christianity. The book which stimulated much of my original thought concerning reality, was one which I found in my hometown's library, entitled "Lao Tzu's Tao and Wu Wei", which is a translation and commentary on the "Tao Te Ching". The word "Tao" translates, according to many people, to God, and the phrase "Wu Wei" translates to self restraint. These things that happened within me then indicated to me that my life from that time onward would follow a specific path, but substantial understandings didn't come until later. May tenth, 1973, I checked into Philadelphia Naval Hospital as a patient. I stayed there four months during which time many visions of reality entered my mind. The single most important stimuli

during this time was a book entitled "Autobiography of a Yogi", written by Paramahansa Yogananda. He was an Indian saint who grew up in Calcutta, graduated Calcutta University, and after his spiritual life had advanced far enough he assumed the status of a spiritual teacher. He traversed to the United States and founded the Self Realization Fellowship. When I finally got back in class at Nuclear Power School, Bainbridge, I felt that my convictions were real and strong enough to take action upon. My situation was now clearly a moral incompatibility between my thoughts and the military service. An important factor in my choice of action, was that I must not violate any procedure of naval rules. I went to my class advisor at Bainbridge, First Class Petty Officer Donovan, and we had many lengthy discussions. He was sympathetic, and said that he, himself, had a similar problem, but before we could decide on definite proper action my schooling at Bainbridge had ended. I reported to Prototype, West Milton Site, Schenectady, N.Y., intending to quickly make a reevaluation of my situation and act. While at Bainbridge I did manage to see a psychiatrist upon request but was merely referred to a Chaplin. I also saw a Chaplin while at Bainbridge but the effort was fruitless because he strictly adhered to the Baptist faith and denied all other paths to God. Two people who should be inserted into the overall picture at this time are: Micheal Doyle, living at 835 Cross Street, Lakewood, New Jersey and Bruce Howells, living on Drake Road, Lakewood, New Jersey. They are the two closest friends that I have and have each helped my insight to grow through understanding. After being at Nuclear Power School Prototype for only a short time, I found myself greatly troubled with my problem. I began to speak with my personal advisor about my adverse feelings toward the Navy and, he seemed to believe that I was sincere, but no answer could be found. I considered all paths out of the Navy but none would do because they all fell short of right in my heart. Finally Article 1860120 in the Bureau of Naval Personnel Manual was brought to my attention, and I found that its purpose was precisely suited to my case. I promptly submitted a special request chit requesting that I be considered for a Conscientious Objector, O-1 Status, discharge from the Navy. I saw this as the only right and true action that I could take. Unfortunately, upon submission of my first chit I was discouraged by people in the chain of command every step of the way. Also, considering the facts that I had virtually no personal time to prepare a presentation of my moral convictions, and that my parents did not understand what I was doing and were distressed because of it, I felt it better for all concerned if I discontinue my efforts until a later date. Finally being here in Holy Loch, Scotland, seeing the United States submarines and contemplating their tremendous destructive potential, makes the submission of this application a duty to myself and my conscience.

(16) Thoroughly discussed in Part (15).

(17) Considering the source, my interpretation of the way in which the word "force" is used here, is concerning people's emotions, and people's interactions with one another because of their emotions. More precisely the emphasis seems to be upon one man's use of force against another man, or a group of men using force against another group of men. In this light, I must state that each individual disagreement or conflict between men, be it two men, two nations of men, or two worlds of men, is different and unique both physically and spiritually, and must be regarded with that thought in mind. Something that I feel pertinent here is the fact that specific conflicts and disagreements become less meaningful as the number of people involved increases. The use of force by one person against one or more other persons may be a personal duty under certain circumstances, and the proper action, morally, but under other circumstances the most righteous thing to do may be non-action. The most important factor that the rightful use of force depends upon, is discrimination from within. This specific type of discrimination is not rational, and doesn't come from the mind, but comes solely from the God consciousness that is within me. I usually refer to "following my inner God consciousness" as "following my heart". The heart is the part of the self that guides a man in this part of existence concerning material action and non-action. In specific instances, I allow my heart to dictate directly to me the proper action, and I obey. No foreseeable circumstance would ever require me to take conscious life. This is the principle which drives me to submit this application.

(18) There are few physical life style changes, because few are necessary. One important change is that I now totally understand the language of my heart, continuously listen for it, and act according to it. Another important change is that I continually seek new ways to increase my spiritual knowledge in order to further my personal evolution. Some of these ways are to: pray or meditate, using those words interchangeably; read books by people who have lived spiritual lives, and finally to listen to and play music. Another important change that has taken place is my new understanding of what is and what is not important. All physical things that I do are related to my evolution. I learn from everything that I see happen, large or small. One thing that has become very unimportant to me is possessing material things. This does not imply that I do not still possess material things, but that this possession is unimportant. If I were to in an instant lose all that I now possess, it would matter little to me. Another change in life style that I have initiated since my spiritual realizations have come about, is that for approximately two years I have not eaten meat. Meat, being the flesh of any creature which I see as having supported conscious life. This action, or specific non-action, is only a small help concerning its purpose here on earth; which is to decrease the demand for meat, and thus decrease the number of killings for food, and spiritually, which is to further my spiritual evolution. But my help is either of little or no importance.

(19) In my opinion, what most conspicuously demonstrates the consistency and depths of my beliefs which gave rise to this application, is the conviction that, all things that are real and important, or in other words, that are lasting and unchanging, are things not of this material world. The only connection that the real person: the soul or spirit, has with the material world, is the sensory perceptive receptacle, which we call our body. It is unknown to me, why God has placed us into these bodies to experience mortal life, and to go through spiritual evolution, but is apparently necessary. It is also clear to me, that the only escape from this material world back to God, is spiritual evolution. The reason that we have been placed here, I feel, will not be revealed until the evolutionary process is complete and that the completion of this usually long process, is the most grand and rewarding experience that exists. The point that I wish to convey here is that when a body that supports conscious life is destroyed, two undesirable things happen. One is that an inconvenience is posed to the spirit that was forced from his body, and two, that bad karma, or in other words, an other large obstacle to the killer's evolution comes into existence. Considering this and the fact that the ultimate purpose of the Navy is to kill when called upon to do so, I had no choice but to submit this application.

(20) I have never been a part of any other military organization prior to this term of service.

(21) I am not a member of any religious sect or organization.

(22) I have no relationship with any other organizations.

(23) Letters of reference will be forwarded when received.

20 Nov

CLINICAL RECORD		CONSULTATION SHEET	
REQUEST			
TO: Psychiatrist	FROM: (Requesting ward, unit, or activity) Grounding	DATE OF REQUEST 11-26-73	
REASON FOR REQUEST (Complaints and findings)			
<p>Pt wishes not to discuss things with G.M.O. thinks problem to involve for a short term discuss Wishes to see Psychiatrist 10</p>			
PROVISIONAL DIAGNOSIS			
ASR			
DOCTOR'S SIGNATURE	APPROVED	PLACE OF CONSULTATION	<input type="checkbox"/> EMERGENCY
[Signature]		<input type="checkbox"/> BEDSIDE <input type="checkbox"/> ON CALL	<input type="checkbox"/> ROUTINE
CONSULTATION REPORT			

20 y.o. white ETR3 with 2 1/2 yrs CAD
of 6 yrs enlistment. Individual regrets his
enlistment at age 17 when he feels he didn't
formulate his attitudes about life. He now
sees the service as hindering his emotional
growth.

Mild Stress
Mood - Next intelligent
Affect - Int
Senses - Int
Content - Appropriate
Thought - Appropriate
Impression - No Psychiatric Disorder

Recommendation -
Ground Counseling
Chaplain Counseling

SIGNATURE AND TITLE	DATE	IDENTIFICATION NO.	ORGANIZATION
[Signature]	25 Nov 73		
PATIENT'S IDENTIFICATION (For typed or written entries give: Name—last, first, middle; grade; date; hospital or medical facility)		REGISTER NO.	WARD NO.

Gregory Johnson
ETR3 / CAD
NUCPWF JCH
145-46-7756

ENCLOSURE (3)

CONSULTATION SHEET
Standard Form 513
513-104-02

NAME OF TREATING FACILITY, COMPLAINT, TREATMENT ADMINISTERED, SIGNATURE AND GRADE/RATE OF PERSON ADMINISTERING TREATMENT	
DATE	<p>28 Feb 74 NPTC -</p> <p>Asked to see this person because of innocent's behavior. This man claims to have a psychiatric problem as far as I am concerned. He does seem quite sincere but also (blatant) it is apparent that he is somewhat confused in his ideas. His philosophy calls for making much stress and for while I understand if he had a thought disorder - however on talking about subjects other than his philosophy he is coherent.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Depression Normal Confused Male - S. J. [Signature]</p>

ENCLOSURE (40)



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

USS CANOPUS (AS-34)

FPO New York 09501

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21 November 1974

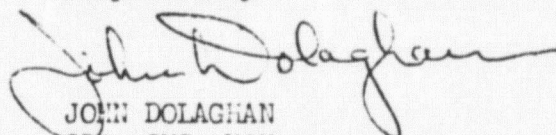
From: Chaplain, USS CANOPUS (AS-34)

To: Commanding Officer, USS CASIMIR PULASKI (SSBN 633)

Subj: Conscientious Objector Status, ETR3 Gregory A. JOHNSON 145-46-7756

1. On the basis of my interview with Johnson it was ascertained that he was not claiming his objection on specific "religious" grounds, but more specifically on an overall humanitarian basis.
2. Johnson states that he has studied Yoga and Transendental Meditation. My limited knowledge of this thought concept is that the body is considered to be a prison, and the soul is released through meditation on higher spiritual forces.
3. My basic "feeling" is that he should be required to make at least one patrol with his ship. My skepticism is based on the fact that he has taken Government pay for 39 months of valuable training, and has waited until now to apply as a conscientious objector. I would be more convinced if he were applying for this status after a period with the fleet.
4. I am aware that this is subjective on my part, but under these circumstances there is little objective fact with which to deal. Johnson is, I believe, sincere, as far as he can see at this time, but it is my belief that his insight is limited by his own limited life experience, and unresolved philosophical concepts.

Respectfully


JOHN DOLAGHAN
CHC USN

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Naval Submarine Base New London

Groton, Connecticut 06340

Box 13

12 February 1975

From: LCDR Aldon E. Purdham, CHC, USN
To: Commanding Officer, USS Casimir Pulaski (SSBN 633), Blue Crew
Subj: ETR3 Gregory Johnson, USN, 145-46-7756

1. ETR3 GREGORY JOHNSON states that his basic beliefs have undergone dramatic changes during the past year. A strong religious background (Episcopalian) has obviously kindled in him a desire for in-depth study of other religions, the eastern ones in particular. I see many of the ideas of the cults and religions playing a role in his reverence for all of life and desire to leave the military environment. Specifically, he does not feel that he could carry out an order from a superior if he knew it would mean the destruction of one or more lives.

2. The applicant is unquestionably sincere. Unfortunately, due to his age, limited life experiences and paucity of research in his major interests, his thoughts and decisions lack clarity. His favorite expression is, "I have so much to learn." His consistent refusal to eat meat over a two year period underscores the sincerity of his convictions up to this point. Petty Officer Johnson is not one who jumps from one interest to another or the type who is easily dissuaded from his present beliefs.

3. In spite of the applicant's sincerity, I do not feel that it would be detrimental to himself nor to the Navy for him to remain on active duty. He will not be happy in the Navy, but I am convinced that he will function at an acceptable level. Continued active duty may be constructive in the sense of helping him crystallize his thinking on issues that are presently unresolved.

Aldon E. Purdham

ALDON E. PURDHAM
LCDR CHC USN

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CLINICAL RECORD

CONSULTATION SHEET

REQUEST	
TO: <i>1155 COSMIC POLARIS</i>	FROM: (Requesting ward, unit, or activity) <i>1155 Cosmic Polaris 55B-633</i>
DATE OF REQUEST <i>March 1, 75</i>	
REASON FOR REQUEST (Complaints and findings)	

this Petty Officer has applied For conscientious object status in order to receive a discharge From the US Navy. Article 1360120 of BUPERS MAN states that written report of Psychiatrist is necessary

PROVISIONAL DIAGNOSIS

DOCTOR'S SIGNATURE	APPROVED	PLACE OF CONSULTATION <input type="checkbox"/> BEDSIDE <input type="checkbox"/> ON CALL	<input type="checkbox"/> EMERGENCY <input type="checkbox"/> ROUTINE
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CONSULTATION REPORT

21 y/o seen and evaluated on the 6th of March, 1975.

Imp: There was no evidence of any psycho-pathology at the time of this interview. This individual seems motivated by beliefs of a sincere nature.

Recc: No psychiatric contraindication to appropriate administrative action.

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SIGNATURE AND TITLE <i>Gregory A. Johnson</i>	DATE <i>3/6/75</i>	IDENTIFICATION NO.	ORGANIZATION
PATIENT'S IDENTIFICATION (For typed or written entries give: Name—last, first, middle; grade; date; hospital or medical facility)		REGISTER NO.	WARD NO.

Johnson, Gregory Alan 145-46-775
ETR3 (SC)
6 March 1975

S/N 0109-201-2602

CONSULTATION SHEET
Standard Form 513
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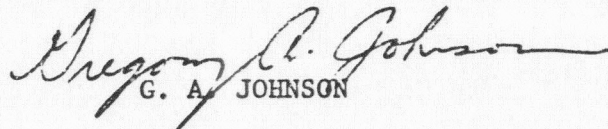
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U.S.S. CASIMIR PULASKI (SSBN 633)
FLEET POST OFFICE
NEW YORK. 09501

25 March 1975

From: ETR3 G. A. JOHNSON, 145-46-7756, USN
To: LT F. W. KRAFFT, 078-32-0543, USN

1. I have been advised of the provisions of 38 U.S.C. 3103 concerning possible nonentitlement to benefits administered by the Veteran's Administration due to discharge from the military service as a conscientious objector under certain conditions. I understand that a discharge as a conscientious objector, who refused to perform military duty or otherwise to comply with lawful orders of competent military authority, shall bar all rights, based upon the period of service from which discharged, under any laws administered by the Veteran's Administration except my legal entitlement (if any) to any War risk, Government (converted) or National Service Life Insurance.


G. A. JOHNSON

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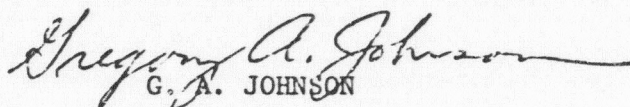
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18 APRIL 1975
~~25 March 1975~~

From: ETR3 G.A. JOHNSON, 145-46-7756, USN

To: LT F.W. KRAFFT, 078-32-0543, USN

1. I received this date a copy of the record (as defined in BUPERSMAN Article 1860120.9J) of my conscientious objector hearing. I understand that I have the right to submit a written rebuttal to the investigating officer within five working days after this date. I (do/~~do not~~) desire to submit a rebuttal.


G. A. JOHNSON

ENCLOSURE (10)

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18 April 1975

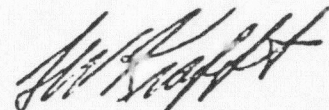
SUMMARY OF HEARING

A Hearing was conducted on 3 April 1975 in accordance with article 1860120, BUPERS Manual, to afford Petty Officer JOHNSON an opportunity to present any evidence he desired in support of his application for conscientious objector 1-0. ETR3 JOHNSON was asked numerous questions concerning his stated beliefs as described in his application. His answers were spontaneous and direct when discussing his background, but became very vague and inconsistent when the discussion concentrated on his beliefs. He contradicted his application when he stated that, (1) He might take conscious life if faced with a life or death self-defense situation, (2) A military force has to exist in order to protect the masses, and (3) the death of a person is really not very important because the soul cannot be destroyed.

The most significant statements made by the applicant were that (1) He is selfish, (2) his greatest objection to continued military service is that he will not have enough time to practice his beliefs, and (3) if refused a discharge he would perform his duties as trained until the end of his enlistment.

When the two books, that the applicant referenced in his application, were discussed it became apparent, and admitted by Petty Officer JOHNSON, that he really had virtually no knowledge of the books or the authors' philosophy.

The hearing was conducted for two hours and was attended by Petty Officer JOHNSON, his Division Officer and his Senior Petty Officer. The hearing was concluded when Petty Officer JOHNSON felt he had no further information to submit.



U.S.S. CASIMIR PULASKI (SSBN 633)

FLEET POST OFFICE

NEW YORK. 09501

25 April 1975

From: ETR3 Gregory A. JOHNSON, 145-46-7756, USN
To: Commanding Officer, USS CASIMIR PULASKI (SSBN633) BLUE
Subj: Rebuttal of the Findings, Opinions, and Recommendations
incident to Lt KRAFFT's investigation concerning my
request for Conciencious Objector status (1-0)

I firstly wish to state that I have, in my opinion, been treated justly by all persons concerned in the Casimir Pulaski Command. It is clear to me that the statements and recommendations made by the Investigating Officer, Mr. Krafft, were all truly derived from the impressions that I gave him. If any disappointment exists for me, concerning, the outcome of this investigation, and people's opinions of me thusfar, it is in that I have been unable to communicate well enough to display my true understanding of Mankind, Life, and God. I wish to, in this rebuttal, make an attempt to; clarify statements that I made in the past, comment on statements made by others concerned (Mr. Krafft for the most part.), show the unimportance of some of the things that Mr. Krafft believes are important, and show the importance of some of the things that I feel Mr. Krafft is completely overlooking.

The order of my statements will follow the order of Mr. Krafft's statements in his 'rebuttal' presentation. I will move through it point by point, attempting to clarify all misinterpretations and misunderstandings of Mr. Krafft.

1. Refer to the last sentence of paragraph two under
1. Preliminary Statement.

The subject of the role these texts play in my present understanding of life became an important issue at my hearing. I tried furiously at that time to display the fact that the texts mentioned in my application acted only as catalysts, in that they were the first abstract views of life that I had considered here, in this present existence. The stimulation that these authors provided at that time initiated the start of a long period of inner release. The total knowledge of my past conscious existences and the truth of our being, as men gradually became clear in my outer conscious mind. The authors of those texts viewed the one truth from different vantage points, and therefore discribed that truth in different ways. More importantly, they each had to live their own separate and individual lives in accordance with their own personal rules; as do I. These rules are layed out for each person by God. Many people though, either do not see these rules as an awakened soul does, or they ignore these rules believing that they are some sort of undesirable facet of their freudian mind.

25 April 1975

The point to be made here is that these texts in no way form a basis for any type of belief in me, but simply opened the door to that knowledge which always existed within me. In other words these author's views of the truth are not precisely the same because they were different people in different places and times. As the face of this material place changes with time the one predominant truth remains unchanged, but the vantage point from which the truth is viewed is different. Therefore my view is different.

2. Refer, in Part 2. (Findings of Fact/Pertinent Evidence), Paragraph A, to the sentence,.

As required by reference (a) Petty Officer JOHNSON was removed from those duties to which he objected and performed duties as messman for the entire patrol period.

Concerning this statement I wish to say that I have always done my best to do what was asked of me at this command. I have done the same at all other commands before this. The duties that I was removed from were no more objected to by me than those of messman. My objection does not pertain to my duties in the U. S. Navy, but are directed toward my being a part of any military organization. Concerning my duties on the USS CASIMIR PULASKI, I have only done what I have been told and will continue to do so until my discharge.

3. Commentary on Chaplin Dolaghan's statement, "My skepticism is based on the fact that he has taken Government pay for 39 months of valuable training, and has waited until now to apply as a conscientious objector."

I would like to say here that a person has no way of planning out his spiritual development. My spiritual development to the point where I had to submit this application took approximately one year. I could not have stood by the issue any earlier, nor could I have waited any longer to submit my application.

As for the schooling I recieved in the Navy, it was my duty at the time to 'so and do my best, so i did,. When I was not in school I also did as I was ordered in the line of duty. When I arrived on board the USS CASIMIR PULASKI I did not change my ways. I have only done thusfar what I saw as my military duty. I personally regret the fact that I am putting the U.S. Government to such an inconvenience, but I truely had no control over it.

4. In enclosure 7 Chaplin Purdum states that it would not be detrimental to myself or the Navy if I were to remain on active duty. I would like to say here that Mr. Durdham's statement is not pertainent to the purpose of our interview. The interview's purpose was to determine the sincerity and depth of my convictions, and not to determine whether my retention in the armed forces would be detremental to anyone.

I feel though, that since the statement is to remain a part of the overall record, I must critisize its meaning also. I feel that Mr. Purdham uses the word detrimental in much to extreme a

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way. It is a word, in my opinion, that must be used in a more relative way. EXAMPLE: I would say that relative to leading a life with more physical freedom and less mental restriction, life in the Navy for me is more detrimental.

5. Concerning the statements concerning my emotional status in 1974 (February), I must make it clear that at that time in my spiritual development I did not see life nor the teachings of my life clearly. It was an extremely early stage of my spiritual development. I simply wished at the time to speak to someone about my newly surfaced feelings.

6. CDR P.H. FARRIER, MC, USN, in enclosure 5 makes a statement that I feel qualifies my position. I of course must perform all of my military duties while my application is being processed and until my discharge, because my heart leads me down a righteous path. Until a proper legal discharge is awarded me I must continue to fulfill my contract with the U. S. NAVY.

7. Concerning Mr. Krafft's statement under Part 2., para. C, item (2), "He discontinued his efforts in requesting a discharge for Conscientious Objection in Aug. 1974 because (a) he did not have enough time, (b) his parents did not agree with him, (c) it was better for all concerned." I would like to add that at that time my parents were shocked at my application. The important fact was not that they disagreed with me but that they firstly did not understand the things that I said, and secondly they were afraid that I would become a disciplinary problem. The reason for my discontinuation of this application at the time was not because of my parents feelings, but because my heart would not allow me to be swayed by my emotions. I could not become a disciplinary problem.

After turning from my application at that time I had great difficulty in qualifying at Prototype. To do so I had to push my true feelings back inside. Otherwise I could not concentrate on my studies. This proved to be quite detrimental to me in that, in pushing spirituality far enough from my mind to qualify, I entered into a dormant stage concerning my spiritual path. It was not until the strong stimulation of seeing and feeling the presence of the nuclear warheads on the Casimir Pulaski 'was felt', that I broke free from this dormant state and once again became aware of my heart. This is when I resubmitted my application for conscientious objection.

8. Statement (4), Paragraph C, under Part 2 of Mr. Krafft's presentation and Statement (1), Paragraph D, under the same part of the same presentation appear to be contradictory. The reason for this is in the way Mr. Krafft removed each statement from context. In item (1) paragraph D. I refer to conscious Life below that of man. In item (4) paragraph C I refer to conscious life of man and above. I said at the hearing that all conscious life to me is reverent, but conscious life does exist in an order

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of importance. I have killed no living creature willfully in the past three years, and before that the only killings that I can recall, were killings of insects.

9. Item (5), paragraph C, Part 2., and Item (2), paragraph D, part 2. also may seem to contradict one another.

Transcendental Meditation as taught by Maharishi Mahesh Yogi is not part of any religion and is not common to any one religious organization or sect.

10. The last important point that I have time to include is in reference to item (4), Paragraph D, Part 2.

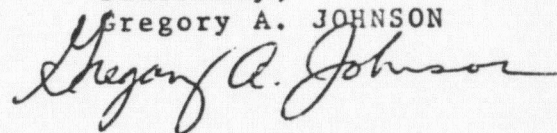
I assuredly did not say that Military forces must exist to protect the masses. I did not say that military forces must exist for the masses, but not for the protection of the masses. These masses must function in a military organization in order that they may overcome their ignorance of reality.

Life in this specific type of existence will eventually move forward into a time when military forces will not exist. The masses that live in ignorance eventually follow evolution without knowing it, and with no control over it. In the end of this evolution when we all reach reunion with God we will be equal. But as we travel towards God it is important to follow our hearts aspiration, and to direct all of our energies toward God or toward the material world for God. Even with regard to this legal process, I am performing God's will.

I do not feel that any further statement from me is necessary. I ask that you do what you see as justice, but also wish to add that it is clear to me that there is a great possibility that this request will be denied, in which case I will be obligated to take up the matter with the U.S. Federal Court System. I wish to close by saying that I am deeply Appoligetic to my parents, the Command of the U.S.S. CASIMIR PULASKI, the Navy, and the entire U.S. Government for causing such a time and money consuming inconvenience. As I see life now though, I must do God's will.

Sincerely,

Gregory A. JOHNSON



TO: Chief of Naval Personnel (Pers-B224) SERIAL 15003 DATE 18 March 1971

VIA: Commander Submarine Group TWO

FROM: Commanding Officer, USS CASIMIR
PULASKI (SSN633) MADE
Fleet Post Office
New York, New York 09501

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3 REC CHANGE NEC TO

1. SERVICE NUMBER 145-46-7756	2. NAME JOHNSON, Gregory Alan	3. RATE ET10	4. BR/CI USN
5. PRESENT AUTHORIZED NEC 3353/4004 1501		6. RECOMMENDED NEC 0000/0000 3353/4004	

7. JUSTIFICATION FOR RECOMMENDATION

(1) Justification: Shortly after reporting aboard late last refit period, Petty Officer JOHNSON made application for Conscientious Objector status. Due to lack of facilities at the advanced refit site and the short time available prior to the ship's imminent deployment processing in accordance with BUPERSMAN 1660120 could not be completed. Petty Officer JOHNSON was removed from all duties including qualification in connection with operation of a naval nuclear propulsion plant and was assigned duty as a messman for the entire patrol period. Processing of the conscientious objector request is currently in progress; however, regardless of its outcome Petty Officer JOHNSON is considered to be unreliable as outlined in BUPERSINST 1220.32A for further duty in connection with operation of a naval nuclear propulsion plant and removal of his currently assigned NEC 3353 is recommended. Petty Officer JOHNSON is not being recommended for disqualification from submarine duty at this time; action in this area is being withheld until the CO processing is completed.

R. L. STARCK, CDR, USN

Signature

FIRST ENDORSEMENT

Pers-B2243-NEC-

From: Chief of Naval Personnel

1. Returned. Take appropriate action as indicated below.

☐ Recommended NECs are being processed for assignment and will be reflected automatically in the BuPers Report 1080-14. Page 4 service record entry is to be made upon receipt of the BuPers Report 1080-14 reflecting this change.

☐

PART 3

FT30/02:JVF:bn
145 46 7756
15 May 1972

FIRST ENDORSEMENT on CINAVPERS ltr Pers-B2131JY:ew-3013 of 12 May 72

From: Commanding Officer, Service School Command, Naval Training Center,
Great Lakes, Illinois 60088

To: ETR3 Gregory Alan JOHNSON, USN, 145 46 7756

Subj: Enrollment in the Nuclear Propulsion Program; request for

1. Delivered.

J. V. FARSON
By direction

Copy to:
CINAVPERS (Pers-B2131)
SERVICE RECORD

FINISHED

Pers-B213LJY:EW-3013
145-46-7756

12 MAY 1972

From: Chief of Naval Personnel
To: ETR3 Gregory Alan JOHNSON, USN, 145-46-7756

Via: Commanding Officer
Service School Command
Naval Training Center
Great Lakes, Illinois 60088

Subj: Enrollment in the Nuclear Propulsion Program; request for

Ref: (a) ETR3 JOHNSON's NAVPERS 1306/7 dtd 27 APR 72 with endorsement
thereto

1. By reference (a) you requested enrollment in the Nuclear Propulsion Program.
2. After a careful review of reference (a) and your duplicate service record, your request has been approved. Completion ET "A" A4 phase cannot be authorized.
3. Citing this letter as authority, Commanding Officer, Service School Command, NTC, Great Lakes is authorized to enroll you in the Nuclear Propulsion Program. Ensure NF/AEF extension is documented in ETR3 JOHNSON's service record.

J. W. MOSHGAT,
By direction

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DATE: 27 April 1972

FROM: ETR3 Gregory Alan JOHNSON, USN 145-46-7756
TO: Chief of Naval Personnel (Pers-B2163)
VIA: Commanding Officer, Service School Command, Naval Training Center,
Great Lakes, Illinois 60088

REF: (a)

ENCL: (1) Nuclear Advisor Interview (9ND-NTC-3401/2) (2) Rpt. Med. History (SF 88)

REQUEST FOR TRANSFER OR SPECIAL DUTY	<input type="checkbox"/> PREFERRED SEA DUTY	<input type="checkbox"/> ARDUOUS SEA DUTY	<input type="checkbox"/> TOURED (NON-ROTATED SEA DUTY)	<input type="checkbox"/> PREFERRED OVERSEAS SHORE DUTY (SHORE DUTY FOR ROTATION)
	<input type="checkbox"/> OVERSEAS SHORE DUTY (SEA DUTY FOR ROTATION)	<input type="checkbox"/> INTER-FLEET TRANSFER	<input type="checkbox"/> NEW CONSTRUCTION	(Type ship)
	CHOICES:			
	1ST (Type/Area)	2ND (Type/Area)	3RD (Type/Area)	
	EXCHANGE OF DUTY WITH		RATE, NAME, SERVICE NO., ACTIVITY	
INDIVIDUAL/PERFORMANCE DATA	SCHOOL NAME, LOCATION, CONVENING DATE			
	Nuclear Power School, Bainbridge, Maryland FEB 73 (ETST 67)			
	OTHER (Specify) Request to be permitted to complete A-4			
	Prior to transfer to duty requested, I will agree to extend my enlistment to have obligated service. If cost transfer is not feasible, I <input type="checkbox"/> will <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> will not accept transfer at no cost to the government. Reason for transfer request.			
	I want to further my education and receive the benefits of the Nuclear Field <i>Gregory A. Johnson</i> (Signature)			
	DATE OF BIRTH	NO. DEP.	LOCATION OF DEPENDENTS	
	27 MAY 53	0	N/A	
	PNEC/SNEC	DESIG.	GCT.	ARI.
	0000/0000	N/A	60	64
	SEA/SHORE COMM. DATE	DATE REP. THIS COMMAND	EAOS.	ADD.
N/A	28 OCT 71	04 AUG 77	05 AUG 71	
ENTER THE REGULAR PERFORMANCE MARKS ASSIGNED FOR THE PAST TWO EVALUATIONS (or as required for duty requested):				
DATE	PROF. PERF.	MIL. BEHAVIOR	LDRSHIP. & SUP. ABIL.	
No				
Service Record Entry				
PREVIOUS DUTY HISTORY FOR PAST 10 YEARS (Use reverse if additional space is needed):				
ACTIVITY		FROM	TO	
RTC, NTC, GLAKES, ILL		06 AUG 71	14 OCT 71	
SSC, NTC, GLAKES, ILL		27 OCT 71	present	
COMMANDING OFFICER'S COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS	FROM: Commanding Officer, SSC, NTC, GLAKES, Illinois			
	TO: Chief of Naval Personnel (Pers-B2163)			
	VIA: Date 5/10/72 MAY 04 1972			
	Recommend Retain/Drop B2131			
	Recommend Retain/Drop A42. <i>PLUMP</i>			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO	ELIGIBLE FOR DUTY REQUESTED		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO	RECOMMENDED		
<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	RELIEF REQUIRED		
<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	ONI SEAVEY		
COMMENTS PERTINENT TO ABOVE REQUEST:				
* Yes for Nuclear Power School, however, he is not eligible to complete A4 if des				
DUTY TYPE CODE		HOME PORT (If applicable)		
SIGNATURE OF COMMANDING OFFICER		nated a NUC.		
<i>D. A. DEWITT, LCDR, USN</i>				
By direction				

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(DATE)

I, GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON, SR, D40 90 34, USNR

145 46 7756

have this date reviewed Report of Medical History(SF89), Armed Forces Security Questionnaire(DD98), Fraudulent Enlistment Warning Sheet(NavPers 1130/2), Statement of Personal History(DD398), and Dependency Statement (NavPers2852) (required for female enlistees), executed by me in connection with my enlistment in the U.S. Naval Reserve under the authority of Part B, Chapter 4, Section 11, Cruittman, and do hereby swear (or affirm) that the information previously furnished on the above mentioned documents remains the same except as noted below. I understand that upon acceptance for enlistment USN, the above mentioned forms with any changes as noted becomes part of my official record. I know that if I secure my enlistment by means of false statement, willful misrepresentation or concealment of the information sought herein. I am liable to trial by court-martial or discharge under other than honorable conditions, that I may be deprived of virtually all rights as a veteran under both federal and state law and can expect to encounter substantial prejudice in civilian life because of such discharge.

(Identify any changes by corresponding Item or Block number of the below listed forms as appropriate):

a. I acknowledge the following change(s) to the:

NO CHANGES

Report of Medical History(SF89)

Armed Forces Security Questionnaire(DD98)

Statement of Personal History(DD398)

Fraudulent Enlistment Warning Sheet(NavPers1130/2)

Dependency Statement(NavPers2852) (for female enlistees)

E. J. Brennan
E.J. BRENNAN, LT, USN

(Signature of Enlisting Officer)

Gregory Alan Johnson
(Signature of Enlistee)

Changes indicated above were:

() Waived by Recruiting Officer

() Referred to higher authority
for consideration of waiver

Distribution:

Bupers (Pers-E3) (original)

USN Service Record

Station File

The above statement will be fastened securely as the first page of the USN documents forwarded to the Chief of Naval Personnel (Pers-E3).

UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES
CONSENT, DECLARATION OF PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN
 (FOR THE ENLISTMENT OF A MINOR IN THE U.S. ARMED FORCES)

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE NAME OF APPLICANT FOR ENLISTMENT		DATE		
JOHNSON, GREGORY ALAN		DAY 15	MONTH MAY	YEAR 1971
PLACE OF APPLICATION FOR ENLISTMENT		SERVICE OR COMPONENT FOR WHICH CON- SENT IS GIVEN		
NRBS, LAKEWOOD, NEW JERSEY		U.S. NAVY		
NAME OF PARENT(S) OR LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNING CONSENT		RELATIONSHIP (Father, Mother, Legal Guardian)		
GEORGE LELAND JOHNSON		FATHER		
ADDRESS (Number and street or RFD, City or Town)	COUNTY	STATE		
67 NIEMANN ROAD, LAKEWOOD	OCEAN	NEW JERSEY		
ADDRESS OF OTHER PARENT IF SEPARATED (Number and street or RFD, City or Town)	COUNTY	STATE		
NA				
PLACE OF BIRTH OF APPLICANT (City or Town and State)		DATE OF BIRTH		
LAKEWOOD, NEW JERSEY		DAY 27	MONTH MAY	YEAR 1953
<p>I/WE CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE APPLICANT HAS NO OTHER LEGAL GUARDIAN THAN ME/US, AND I/WE HEREBY CONSENT TO HIS/HER ENLISTMENT IN THE SERVICE OR COMPONENT OF THE ARMED FORCES AS INDICATED ABOVE, SUBJECT TO ALL THE REQUIREMENTS AND LAWFUL COMMANDS OF THE OFFICERS WHO MAY, FROM TIME TO TIME, BE PLACED OVER HIM/HER; AND I/WE CERTIFY THAT NO PROMISE OF ANY KIND HAS BEEN MADE TO ME/US CONCERNING ASSIGNMENT TO DUTY OR PROMOTION DURING HIS/HER ENLISTMENT AS AN INDUCEMENT TO ME/US TO SIGN THIS CONSENT; AND I/WE RELINQUISH ALL CLAIM TO HIS/HER SERVICE AND TO ANY WAGES OR COMPENSATION FOR SUCH SERVICE.</p> <p>I/WE CERTIFY THAT THE APPLICANT'S BIRTH DATE AS SHOWN ON THIS FORM IS CORRECT.</p> <p>I/WE THOROUGHLY UNDERSTAND THAT I/WE HAVE CONSENTED TO HIS/HER ENLISTMENT IN THE SERVICE OR COMPONENT OF THE U.S. ARMED FORCES INDICATED ABOVE FOR THE PERIOD OF <u>(4) FOUR YEARS</u></p>				
SIGNATURES OF: <i>David L. Klink</i>		<i>George Leland Johnson</i>		
DAVID L. KLINK, BT1, USN		GEORGE LELAND JOHNSON		
RECRUITER WITNESSING OFFICIAL		PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN		
NA		NA		
RECRUITING OFFICER OR RECRUITER		OTHER PARENT (If required)		
<p>UNDERSTANDING, STATEMENT OF PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN (For the enlistment of a minor in a six-month program)</p> <p>I/WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE ABOVE APPLICANT FOR ENLISTMENT IN A RESERVE COMPONENT OF AN ARMED FORCE AND IN A SPECIAL ENLISTMENT PROGRAM PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 262 OF THE ARMED FORCES RESERVE ACT OF 1952, AS AMENDED, MUST PERFORM SIX (6) MONTHS OF ACTIVE DUTY FOR TRAINING, AND MUST SERVE THE REMAINDER OF HIS SPECIAL ENLISTMENT AS A MEMBER OF THE READY RESERVE OF THE ARMED FORCE IN WHICH ENLISTED, UNLESS SOONER TRANSFERRED TO THE STANDBY RESERVE BY A SCREENING PROCESS. I/WE FURTHER UNDERSTAND THAT DURING HIS SERVICE AS A MEMBER OF THE READY RESERVE HE MAY BE REQUIRED TO ATTEND NOT LESS THAN FORTY-EIGHT (48) SCHEDULED DRILLS OR TRAINING PERIODS AND NOT MORE THAN SEVENTEEN (17) DAYS ACTIVE DUTY FOR TRAINING ANNUALLY, OR MAY BE REQUIRED TO PERFORM THIRTY (30) DAYS ACTIVE DUTY FOR TRAINING ANNUALLY IN LIEU THEREOF WHEN AUTHORIZED; THAT FAILURE TO PERFORM REQUIRED TRAINING IN ANY YEAR CAN RESULT IN HIS BEING ORDERED TO PERFORM ADDITIONAL ACTIVE DUTY FOR TRAINING FOR FORTY-FIVE (45) DAYS FOR THAT YEAR OR BEING REPORTED TO SELECTIVE SERVICE AUTHORITIES FOR IMMEDIATE INDUCTION FOR A PERIOD OF TWO YEARS INTO THE ARMED FORCE OF WHICH SUCH RESERVE COMPONENT IS A PART.</p> <p>SIGNATURES OF:</p>				
NA		NA		
WITNESSING OFFICIAL		PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN		
NA		NA		
RECRUITING OFFICER OR RECRUITER		OTHER PARENT (If required)		

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PLATE NO. 10314

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VERIFICATION OF DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH OF APPLICANT (For use by recruiting office)			
LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE NAME	PLACE OF BIRTH (City or Town & State)	DATE OF BIRTH	
		DAY	MONTH
			YEAR
JONES, GEORGE AL	L. H. 1000, NEW BRUNSWICK	27	MAY 1955
HOW VERIFIED			
SIGHTED CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH.			
REMARKS			
<p>I/WE THOROUGHLY UNDERSTAND THAT I/WE HAVE CONSENTED TO HIS ENLISTMENT IN THE U.S. NAVAL RESERVE (CACHE) PROGRAM FOR A PERIOD OF SIX (06) YEARS AND THAT IF HE HAS NOT REACHED HIS 18TH BIRTHDAY WITHIN THE ENSUING 120 DAY DELAY HE WILL BE ENLISTED IN THE REGULAR NAVY FOR A PERIOD OF FOUR YEARS IN THE PROGRAM FOR WHICH HE QUALIFIES OR IF HE REFUSES TO ENLIST USN, AT THE DIRECTION OF THE CHIEF OF NAVAL PERSONNEL, HE MAY BE ORDERED TO EXTENDED ACTIVE DUTY IN THE U. S. NAVAL RESERVE FOR A PERIOD OF SIX YEARS WITH NO SCHOOL OR FORMAL TRAINING GUARANTEE. I/WE FURTHER UNDERSTAND THAT IF HE HAS REACHED HIS 18TH BIRTHDAY DURING THE ENSUING 120 DAY DELAY HE WILL BE ENLISTED IN THE REGULAR NAVY IN THE PROGRAM FOR WHICH QUALIFIED FOR A MINIMUM PERIOD OF FOUR YEARS, OR IF HE REFUSES TO ENLIST USN, AT THE DIRECTION OF THE CHIEF OF NAVAL PERSONNEL HE MAY BE ORDERED TO EXTENDED ACTIVE DUTY IN THE U.S. NAVAL RESERVE FOR A PERIOD OF SIX YEARS WITH NO SCHOOL OR FORMAL TRAINING GUARANTEE.</p>			
<p>_____ GEORGE LELAND JONES, JR. (Parent or legal guardian)</p>		<p>_____ (Other parent)</p>	
<p>_____ DAVID L. KLING, LT1, USN</p>		<p>_____ SIGNATURE OF RECRUITER</p>	

PLATE NO. 10314-BACK

INSTRUCTIONS

1. The applicant must fill in this form in his own handwriting and must initial all corrections.
2. All "yes" answers except to question 1a. & b: must be explained fully under remarks.

1. MARITAL STATUS AND DEPENDENCY	YES / NO
a. Are you or have you ever been married?	NO
b. Are you living with your spouse?	NO
c. Number of dependents (include wife).	NONE
d. Are you a widower/widow?	NO
(If answer to c. or f. below is "yes," indicate under "remarks" the date and place, identifying the court that granted the divorce, legal separation, or alimony decree as appropriate.)	
e. Are you divorced?	NO
f. Is any court order or judgment directing support for children or alimony in effect against you?	NO
g. Have you anyone other than children solely or partially dependent upon you? (If "yes," identify under "remarks" by name and mailing address.)	NO
2. EMPLOYMENT	
a. Have you ever been employed by a foreign government?	NO
b. Have you ever been refused a fiduciary bond in connection with any employment?	NO
3. JUVENILE AND CIVIL RECORD	
a. Have you ever been arrested, charged, or held by Federal, State, or other Law Enforcement Authorities for any violation of any Federal Law, State Law, County or Municipal Law, Regulation or Ordinance? (Prior service personnel consider only period since last active service.)	NO
b. Have you ever been convicted of any offense, or adjudicated a youthful offender or juvenile delinquent? (Includes violation of local ordinances and all moving traffic violations.) This question must be answered truthfully, regardless of any advice you may have received from any person in authority to the effect that you did not have to report a particular action in applying for employment or to enter the services. (If your answer is "yes," explain fully under "remarks," giving a plain language statement of what you did, approximate time of court action, name and location of court, and action taken.)	NO
c. Have you ever been imprisoned under sentence of any court?	NO
d. Have you ever been awarded a suspended sentence, parole, or probation (including unsupervised probation)? Are you now under any of the foregoing, or awaiting any final charges against you? (Prior service personnel consider only period since last active service.)	NO
e. Have you ever been arrested, convicted, or imprisoned for any crime under the laws of a foreign country?	NO
4. PERSONAL HISTORY (required for enlistments and reenlistments)	
a. Have you ever been under the care of a psychiatrist or psychologist?	NO
b. Have you ever been a patient (whether or not formally committed) in any institution primarily devoted to the treatment of mental, nervous, emotional, psychological, or personality disorders?	NO
c. Have you, within the past five years, wet the bed?	NO
d. Have you ever engaged in sexual activity with another person who is the same sex as yourself?	NO
e. Are you attracted sexually or do you desire any sexual activity with persons of the same sex as yourself?	NO
(If answer to f, g, or h, below is "yes" indicate under "remarks" what drugs and what medical treatment, if any, you are receiving or did receive?)	
f. Have you ever taken any narcotic substance, sedative, stimulant tranquilizer drugs, or alcoholic beverages to excess? (If "yes," set forth full circumstances under "remarks," including approximate times, amount taken, and period over which taken.)	NO
g. Have you ever sniffed glue or been involved in the use, purchase, possession or sale of marijuana, LSD or any other hallucinogens, hypnotics, stimulants or other known harmful or habit-forming drugs and/or chemicals?	NO
h. Have you ever undergone treatment caused by indulgence in alcoholic beverages?	NO
i. Have you ever used, or been identified by, a name other than which this application is being made? (If "yes," so state in "remarks.")	NO
j. Have you received orders to report for induction?	NO
k. Were you ever rejected as an applicant for enlistment or induction into the Armed Forces?	NO
l. Draft classification <u>N.A.</u>	

REMARKS:

Height 6'0" Weight 155 Color Hair BROWN Color Eyes HAZEL

Expiration Date of Licence JULY 31, 1973 Drivers Licence Number 16173 30261 055

Any Alias Used NONE State of Issuance N.J.

DATE	PLACE (City & State)	OFFENSE	DISPOSITION
	<u>NONE</u>		

I, GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON

swear (or affirm) that my answers to the

NAME (First, Middle, Last)

above questions have been correctly recorded and are true in all respects to the best of my knowledge and understanding. I understand that upon acceptance for enlistment this form and all other allied papers become part of the "record." I know that if I secure my enlistment by means of any willful false statement, willful misrepresentation, or concealment of the information herein sought in any, I am liable to trial by court-martial or discharge under other than honorable conditions for fraudulent enlistment. I understand that if by virtue of a fraudulent enlistment I am discharged under other than honorable conditions, I may be deprived of virtually all rights as a veteran under both federal and state law and can expect to encounter substantial prejudice in civilian life because of such discharge.

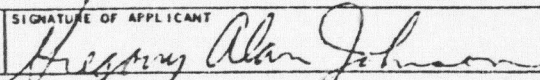
NAME OF RECRUITER ASSISTING IN COMPLETION OF THIS FORM

DATE

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

DAVID L. KLINK, BT1, USN

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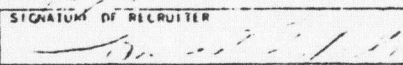


I have fully explained all of the above to the applicant, and the applicant is cognizant that juvenile offenses or civil arrests are not necessarily a bar to enlistment but must be admitted in order to determine eligibility for enlistment. The applicant is fully aware that any denial of, or untrue information concerning a juvenile or police record, previous military service, true marital status, or dependents constitutes a fraudulent enlistment.

DATE

SIGNATURE OF RECRUITER

14 MAY 71



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ARMED FORCES EXAMINING AND ENTRANCE STATION
401 NORTH BROAD STREET
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA 19108

MAY 26 1971

(DATE)

From: Commanding Officer, Armed Forces Examining and Entrance
Station, 401 North Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 19108

To: JOHNSON, GREGORY ALAN

SR

USNR

SUBJ: Orders

REF: (a) PART B, CHAP II, SEC 10, CRUITMAN
(b) ARMY REGULATION 40-501
(c) CHAPTER 15, MANMED

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1. Having been enlisted in the U.S. Naval Reserves this date under the authority contained with reference (a), you are hereby assigned to the U.S. Naval Reserves (inactive status).

2. Having been examined and found physically qualified for enlistment in accordance with reference (b)/(c), you are hereby ordered to return to your current residence. You are further assigned to extended active duty on such date as will enable you to report no later than

0900 on 5 AUG 71, to the Commanding Officer, Armed Forces Examining and Entrance Station, Phila., Pa. for further transfer to the U.S. NAVAL TRAINING CENTER GREAT LAKES, ILL.

3. You have given your home of record as:

67 NIEMANN RD., LAKEWOOD, N.J.

4. Your official records will be retained by the U.S. Naval Recruiting Main Station, 219 N. Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa. In the event that you should change your current residence, you will notify the Commanding Officer U.S. Naval Recruiting Main Station, 219 N. Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa.

5. Travel expenses for return transportation from current residence SAME AS ABOVE, to the enlisting activity for enlistment USN or extended active duty orders is chargeable to BUDGET PROJECT 54 as set forth in Article A-2406 (a) (2) CRUITMAN.

Edward J. Brennan
E. J. BRENNAN
LT, USN
PROCESSING OFFICER

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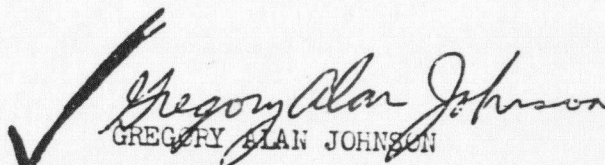
STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING
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Prior to enlisting in the Navy or Naval Reserve, I,
understand that:

GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON

(First, Middle and Last Name)

1. I have obligated myself to serve a total period of six years in the Naval Service of the United States and that upon completion of this obligation I will be eligible for discharge;
2. Upon completion of active duty in the Navy or Naval Reserve I will be placed in or remain in the Ready Reserve if eligible therefor;
3. Service in the Ready Reserve will be for a period which when added to my active duty will total five years; upon completion of this five years satisfactory service on active duty and in the Ready Reserve I will be eligible for transfer to the Standby Reserve, and if I apply I will be transferred to the Standby Reserve for any remaining portion of my service obligation;
4. I understand that the provisions of law require satisfactory participation in the Ready Reserve unless relieved of such participation by competent authority; such participation may be satisfied annually by not less than 48 drills and not more than 17 days active duty for training or an alternative of 30 days active duty for training or other appropriate Reserve training as may be authorized; failure to carry out prescribed training may subject me to involuntary call to active duty for not more than 45 days;
5. The following methods are available in the Navy for completing my military obligations:
 - a. By enlistment in the Regular Navy for six years;
 - b. By enlistment for minority, three or four years in the Regular Navy, which method requires a total of five years on combined active duty and satisfactory service in the Ready Reserve with remainder of obligation in the Standby Reserve;
 - c. By enlistment for six years in the Naval Reserve which method requires a period of twenty-four (24) consecutive months on active duty plus a total of four years on inactive duty in the Naval Reserve, three of which must be in the Ready Reserve. The following types of duty will not be credited toward fulfillment of the twenty-four months active duty period: Temporary Active Duty, Active Duty for Training, Special Active Duty for Training.


GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON

Signature of Enlistee-First, Middle and Last Name

(Date)

MAY 26 1971

(Date)

Signature of legal guardian (applicable only to applicants for enlistment in Naval Reserve who acquire 2 year continuous active duty obligation and who are under age of 18 at time of enlistment.)


E. J. BRENNAN, LTJG

Signature of Enlisting Officer-Name, Rank and Branch of Service

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ARMED FORCES EXAMINING AND ENTRANCE STATION
401 NORTH BROAD STREET
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA 19103

MAY 26 1971

_____, (DATE)

I GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON having enlisted this date
in the U.S. Naval Reserves for a period of six (06) years,
request that within 120 days I be assigned to extended active duty
for FOUR(04)/~~TWO(02)~~ years as authorized by Title 10, United
States Code 672(d). I understand that if qualified, I may enlist
in the U.S. Regular Navy for FOUR(04)/~~TWO(02)~~ years in lieu of
performing said active duty.

Edward J. Brennan
E. J. BRENNAN, LT, USN
(Signature of Enlisting Officer)

Gregory Alan Johnson
(APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE)

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ARMED FORCES SECURITY QUESTIONNAIRE

I - EXPLANATION

1. The interest of National Security require that all persons being considered for membership or retention in the Armed Forces be reliable, trustworthy, of good character, and of complete and unswerving loyalty to the United States. Accordingly, it is necessary for you to furnish information concerning your security qualifications. The answers which you give will be used in determining whether you are eligible for membership in the Armed Forces, in selection of your duty assignment, and for such other action as may be appropriate.

2. You are advised that in accordance with the Fifth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States you

cannot be compelled to furnish any statements which you may reasonably believe may lead to your prosecution for a crime. This is the only reason for which you may avail yourself of the privilege afforded by the Fifth Amendment in refusing to answer questions under Part IV below. Claiming the Fifth Amendment will not by itself constitute sufficient grounds to exempt you from military service for reasons of security. You are not required to answer any questions in this questionnaire, the answer to which might be incriminating. If you do claim the privilege granted by the Fifth Amendment in refusing to answer any question, you should make a statement to that effect after the question involved.

II - ORGANIZATIONS OF SECURITY SIGNIFICANCE

1. There is set forth below a list of names of organizations, groups, and movements, reported by the Attorney General of the United States as having significance in connection with the national security. Please examine the list carefully, and note those organizations, and organizations of similar names, with which you are familiar. Then answer the questions set forth in Part IV below.

2. Your statement concerning membership or other associations, with one or more of the organizations named may not, of itself, cause you to be ineligible for acceptance or retention in the Armed Forces.

Your age at the time of such association, circumstances prompting it, and the extent and frequency of involvement, are all highly pertinent, and will be fully weighed. Set forth all such factors under "Remarks" below, and continue on separate attached sheets of paper if necessary.

3. If there is any doubt in your mind as to whether your name has been linked with one of the organizations named, or as to whether a particular association is "worth mentioning", make a full explanation under "Remarks".

Organizations designated by the Attorney General, pursuant to Executive Order 10450, are listed below:

Communist Party, U. S. A., its subdivisions, subsidiaries and affiliates.
Communist Political Association, its subdivisions, subsidiaries and affiliates, including—
Alabama People's Educational Association
Florida Press and Educational League
Oklahoma League for Political Education
People's Educational and Press Association of Texas
Virginia League for People's Education
Young Communist League
Abraham Lincoln Brigade
Abraham Lincoln School, Chicago, Illinois
Action Committee to Free Spain Now
American Association for Reconstruction in Yugoslavia, Inc.
American Branch of the Federation of Greek Maritime Unions
American Christian Nationalist Party
American Committee for European Workers' Relief
American Committee for Protection of Foreign Born
American Committee for the Settlement of Jews in Birobidjan, Inc.
American Committee for Spanish Freedom
American Committee for Yugoslav Relief, Inc.
American Committee to Survey Labor Conditions in Europe
American Council for a Democratic Greece, formerly known as the Greek American Council
Greek American Committee for National Unity
American Council on Soviet Relations
American Croatian Congress
American Jewish Labor Council
American League Against War and Fascism
American League for Peace and Democracy
American National Labor Party
American National Socialist League
American National Socialist Party
American Nationalist Party
American Patriots, Inc.
American Peace Crusade
American Peace Mobilization
American Poles for Peace
American Polish Labor Council
American Polish League
American Rescue Ship Mission (a project of the United American Spanish Aid Committee)
American Russian Fraternal Society

American Russian Institute, Philadelphia
American Russian Institute of San Francisco
American Russian Institute of Southern California, Los Angeles
American Slav Congress
American Women for Peace
American Youth Congress
American Youth for Democracy
Armenian Progressive League of America
Associated Klans of America
Association of Georgia Klans
Association of German Nationals (Reichsdeutsche Vereinigung)
Ausland-Organisation der NSDAP, Overseas Branch of Nazi Party
Baltimore Forum
Benjamin Davis Freedom Committee
Black Dragon Society
Boston School for Marxist Studies, Boston, Massachusetts
Bridges-Robertson-Schmidt Defense Committee
Bulgarian American People's League of the United States of America
California Emergency Defense Committee
California Labor School, Inc., 321 Divisadero Street, San Francisco, California
Carpatho-Russian People's Society
Central Council of American Women of Croatian Descent (also known as Central Council of American Croatian Women, National Council of Croatian Women)
Central Japanese Association (Beihoku Chuo Nipponjin Kai)
Central Japanese Association of Southern California
Central Organization of the German-American National Alliance (Deutsche-Amerikanische Einheitsfront)
Cervantes Fraternal Society
China Welfare Appeal, Inc.
Chopin Cultural Center
Citizens Committee to Free Earl Browder
Citizens Committee for Harry Bridges
Citizens Committee of the Upper West Side (New York City)
Citizens Emergency Defense Conference
Citizens Protective League
Civil Liberties Sponsoring Committee of Pittsburgh

Civil Rights Congress for Texas
Veterans Against Discrimination of Civil Rights Congress of New York
Columbians
Comite Coordinador Pro Republica Espanola
Comite Pro Derechos Civiles
Committee to Abolish Discrimination in Maryland
Committee to Aid the Fighting South
Committee to Defend the Rights and Freedom of Pittsburgh's Political Prisoners
Committee for a Democratic Far Eastern Policy
Committee for Constitutional and Political Freedom
Committee for the Defense of the Pittsburgh Six
Committee for Nationalist Action
Committee for the Negro in the Arts
Committee for Peace and Brotherhood Festival in Philadelphia
Committee for the Protection of the Bill of Rights
Committee for World Youth Friendship and Cultural Exchange
Committee to Defend Marie Richardson
Committee to Uphold the Bill of Rights
Commonwealth College, Mena, Arkansas
Congress Against Discrimination
Congress of the Unemployed
Connecticut Committee to Aid Victims of the Smith Act
Connecticut State Youth Conference
Congress of American Revolutionary Writers
Congress of American Women
Council on African Affairs
Council of Greek Americans
Council for Jobs, Relief, and Housing
Council for Pan-American Democracy
Croatian Benevolent Fraternity
Dai Nippon Butoku Kai (Military Virtue Society of Japan or Military Art Society of Japan)
Daily Worker Press Club
Daniels Defense Committee
Dante Alighieri Society (Between 1935 and 1940)
Dennis Defense Committee
Detroit Youth Assembly
East Bay Peace Committee
Elsinore Progressive League
Emergency Conference to Save Spanish Refugees (founding body of the North American Spanish Aid Committee)
Everybody's Committee to Outlaw War
South American South Art Institute

Federation of Italian War Veterans in the U.S.A., Inc. (*Associazione Nazionale Combattenti Italiani*), *Federazione degli Stati Uniti d'America*
 Finnish-American Mutual Aid Society.
 Florida Press and Educational League.
 Frederick Douglass Educational Center.
 Freedom Star, Inc.
 Friends of the New Germany (*Freunde des Neuen Deutschlands*).
 Friends of the Soviet Union.
 Garibaldi American Fraternal Society.
 George Washington Carver School, New York City.
 German-American Bund (*Amerika-deutscher Volksbund*).
 German-American Republican League.
 German-American Vocational League (*Deutsche-Amerikanische Berufsgenossenschaft*).
 Guardian Club.
 Harlem Trade Union Council.
 Hawaii Civil Liberties Committee.
 Heimuska Kai, also known as Nokubei Heieki Gamasha Kai, Zaihei Nihonjin, Heijaku Gimasha Kai and Zaihei Heimuska Kai (*Japanese Residing in American Military Conscription Association*).
 Hellenic-American Brotherhood.
 Hinode Kai (*Imperial Japanese Reservists*).
 Hinomaru Kai (*Missing Sun Flag Society - a group of Japanese War Veterans*).
 Hokubei Zaigo Shoke Dan (*North American Reserve Officers Association*).
 Hollywood Writers Mobilization for Defense.
 Hungarian-American Council for Democracy.
 Hungarian Brotherhood.
 Idaho Pension Union.
 Independent Party (Seattle, Washington).
 Independent People's Party.
 Industrial Workers of the World.
 International Labor Defense.
 International Workers Order, its subdivisions, subsidiaries and affiliates.
 Japanese Association of America.
 Japanese Overseas Central Society (*Kaigai Dobo Chuo Kai*).
 Japanese Overseas Convention, Tokyo, Japan, 1940.
 Japanese Protective Association (*Recruiting Organization*).
 Jefferson School of Social Science, New York City.
 Jewish Culture Society.
 Jewish People's Committee.
 Jewish People's Fraternal Order.
 Jikyoku Lin Kai (*The Committee for the Crisis*).
 Johnson-Forrest Group.
 Johnsonites.
 Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee.
 Joint Council of Progressive Italian-American, Inc.
 Joseph Weydemeyer School of Social Science, St. Louis, Missouri.
 Kabei Seinen Kai (*Association of U.S. citizens of Japanese ancestry who have returned to America after studying in Japan*).
 Knights of the White Camelia.
 Ku Klux Klan.
 Kyffhaeuser, also known as Kyffhaeuser League (*Kyffhaeuser Bund*) Kyffhaeuser Fellowship (*Kyffhaeuser Kameradschaft*).
 Kyffhaeuser War Relief (*Kyffhaeuser Kriegshilfsarbeit*).
 Labor Council for Negro Rights.
 Labor Research Association, Inc.
 Labor Youth League.
 League for Common Sense.

League of American Writers.
 Lactor Society (*Italian Black Shirts*).
 Macedonian-American People's League.
 Mario Wergantini Circle.
 Maritime Labor Committee to Defend Al Lannon.
 Maryland Congress Against Discrimination.
 Massachusetts Committee for the Bill of Rights.
 Massachusetts Minute Women for Peace (*not connected with the Minute Women of the U.S.A., Inc.*).
 Maurice Haverman Defense Committee.
 Michigan Civil Rights Federation.
 Michigan Council for Peace.
 Michigan School of Social Science.
 Nanka Teikoku Ganvudan (*Imperial Military Friends Group or Southern California War Veterans*).
 National Association of Mexican Americans (also known as *Asociacion Nacional Mexico Americana*).
 National Blue Star Mothers of America (*not to be confused with the Blue Star Mothers of America organized in February 1942*).
 National Committee for the Defense of Political Prisoners.
 National Committee for Freedom of the Press.
 National Committee to Win Amnesty for Smith Act Victims.
 National Committee to Win the Peace.
 National Conference on American Policy in China and the Far East (*a Conference called by the Committee for a Democratic Far Eastern Policy*).
 National Council of Americans of Croatian Descent.
 National Council of American-Soviet Friendship.
 National Federation for Constitutional Liberties.
 National Labor Conference for Peace.
 National Negro Congress.
 National Negro Labor Council.
 Nationalist Action League.
 Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico.
 Nature Friends of America (*Since 1935*).
 Negro Labor Victory Committee.
 New Committee for Publications.
 Nichibei Kogyo Kaisha (*The Great Fujii Theatre*).
 North American Committee to Aid Spanish Democracy.
 North American Spanish Aid Committee.
 North Philadelphia Forum.
 Northwest Japanese Association.
 Ohio School of Social Sciences.
 Oklahoma Committee to Defend Political Prisoners.
 Oklahoma League for Political Education.
 Original Southern Klans, Incorporated.
 Pacific Northwest Labor School, Seattle, Washington.
 Palo Alto Peace Club.
 Partido del Pueblo of Panama (*operating in the Canal Zone*).
 Peace Information Center.
 Peace Movement of Ethiopia.
 People's Drama, Inc.
 People's Educational and Press Association of Texas.
 People's Educational Association (*Incorporated under name Los Angeles Educational Association, Inc.*) also known as People's Educational Center.
 People's University, People's School.
 People's Institute of Applied Religion.
 People's Program (Seattle, Washington).
 People's Radio Foundation, Inc.
 People's Rights Party.
 Philadelphia Labor Committee for Negro Rights.
 Philadelphia School of Social Science and Art.
 Photo League (New York City).
 Pittsburgh Arts Club.
 Political Prisoners' Welfare Committee.
 Polonia Society of the IWO.
 Progressive German-Americans, also known as Progressive German-Americans of Chicago.
 Proletarian Party of America.
 Protestant War Veterans of the United States, Inc.
 Provisional Committee of Citizens for Peace, Southwest Area.
 Provisional Committee on Latin American Affairs.
 Provisional Committee to Abolish Discrimination in the State of Maryland.
 Puerto Rican Comité Pro Libertades Civiles (CLC) Puertorriquenos Unidos (*Puerto Ricans United*).
 Quad City Committee for Peace.
 Queensbridge Tenants League.
 Revolutionary Workers League.
 Romanian American Fraternal Society.
 Russian American Society, Inc.
 Sakura Kai (*Patriotic Society or Cherry Association composed of veterans of Russo-Japanese War*).
 Samuel Adams School, Boston, Mass.
 Santa Barbara Peace Forum.
 Schappes Defense Committee.
 Schneiderman-Darcy Defense Committee.
 School of Jewish Studies, New York City.
 Seattle Labor School, Seattle, Washington.
 Serbian-American Fraternal Society.
 Serbian Vidovdan Council.
 Shinto Temples (*limited to State Shinto abolished in 1945*).
 Silver Shirt Legion of America.
 Slavic Council of Southern California.
 Slovak Workers Society.
 Slovenian-American National Council.
 Socialist Workers Party, including American Committee for European Workers' Relief.
 Sokoku Kai (*Fatherland Society*).
 Southern Negro Youth Congress.
 Suiko Sha (*Reserve Officers Association, Los Angeles*).
 Syracuse Women for Peace.
 Tom Paine School of Social Science, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
 Tom Paine School of Westchester, New York.
 Trade Union Committee for Peace.
 Trade Unionists for Peace.
 Tri-State Negro Trade Union Council.
 Ukrainian-American Fraternal Union.
 Union of American Croats.
 Union of New York Veterans.
 United American Spanish Aid Committee.
 United Committee of Jewish Societies and Landsmannschaft Federations, also known as Coordination Committee of Jewish Landsmannschaften and Fraternal Organizations.
 United Committee of South Slavic Americans.
 United Defense Council of Southern California.
 United Harlem Tenants and Consumers Organization.
 United May Day Committee.
 United Negro and Allied Veterans of America.
 Veterans Against Discrimination of Civil Rights Congress of New York.
 Veterans of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade.
 Virginia League for People's Education.
 Voice of Freedom Committee.
 Walt Whitman School of Social Science, Newark, New Jersey.
 Washington Bookshop Association.
 Washington Committee to Defend the Bill of Rights.
 Washington Committee for Democratic Action.
 Washington Commonwealth Federation.
 Washington Pension Union.
 Wisconsin Conference on Social Legislation.
 Workers Alliance (*since April 1936*).
 Yiddisher Kultur Farband.
 Yugoslav-American Cooperative Home, Inc.
 Yugoslav Seamen's Club, Inc.

III - INSTRUCTIONS

- Set forth an explanation for each answer checked "Yes" under question 2 below under "Remarks". Attach as many extra sheets as necessary for a full explanation, signing or initialing each extra sheet.
- Title 18, U.S. Code, Section 1001, provides, in pertinent part: "Whoever ... falsifies, conceals or covers up ... a material fact, or makes any false ... statements ... or makes or uses any false writing ... shall be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned not more than five years, or both". Any false, fraudulent or fictitious response to the questions under Part IV below may give rise to criminal liability under Title 18, U.S.C., Section 1001. You are advised, however, that you

will not incur such liability unless you supply inaccurate statements with knowledge of their untruthfulness. You are therefore advised that before you sign this form and turn it in to Selective Service or military authorities, you should be sure that it is truthful; that detailed explanations are given for each "Yes" answer under question 2 of Part IV below, and that details given are as full and complete as you can make them.

- In stating details, it is permissible, if your memory is hazy on particular points, to use such expressions as "I think", "in my opinion", "I believe", or "to the best of my recollection".

IV - QUESTIONS

(For each answer checked "Yes" under question 2 set forth a full explanation under "Remarks" below)

	YES	NO		YES	NO
1. I have read the list of names of organizations, groups, and movements set forth under Part II of this form and the explanation which precedes it.	✓		j. Have you ever contributed money to any of the organizations, groups, or movements listed?		✓
2. Concerning the list of organizations, groups and movements set forth under Part II above:			k. Have you ever contributed services to any of the organizations, groups, or movements listed?		✓
a. Are you now a member of any of the organizations, groups, or movements listed?		✓	l. Have you ever subscribed to any publications of any of the organizations, groups, or movements listed?		✓
b. Have you ever been a member of any of the organizations, groups, or movements listed?		✓	m. Have you ever been employed by a foreign government or any agency thereof?		✓
c. Are you now employed by any of the organizations, groups, or movements listed?		✓	n. Are you now a member of the Communist Party of any foreign country?		✓
d. Have you ever been employed by any of the organizations, groups, or movements listed?		✓	o. Have you ever been a member of the Communist Party of any foreign country?		✓
e. Have you ever attended any meeting of any of the organizations, groups, or movements listed?		✓	p. Have you ever been the subject of a loyalty or security hearing?		✓
f. Have you ever attended any social gathering of any of the organizations, groups, or movements listed?		✓	q. Are you now or have you ever been a member of any organization, association, movement, group or combination of persons not on the Attorney General's list which advocates the overthrow of our constitutional form of government, or which has adopted the policy of advocating or approving the commission of acts of force or violence to deny other persons their rights under the Constitution of the United States, or which seeks to alter the form of government of the United States by unconstitutional means?		✓
g. Have you ever attended any gathering of any kind sponsored by any of the organizations, groups, or movements listed?		✓			
h. Have you prepared material for publication by any of the organizations, groups, or movements listed?		✓			
i. Have you ever corresponded with any of the organizations, groups, or movements listed or with any publication thereof?		✓	r. Have you ever been known by any other last name than that used in signing this questionnaire?		✓

REMARKS

none to my knowledge

<p align="center">CERTIFICATION</p> <p>IN REGARD TO ANY PART OF THIS QUESTIONNAIRE CONCERNING WHICH I HAVE HAD ANY QUESTION AS TO THE MEANING, I HAVE REQUESTED AND HAVE OBTAINED A COMPLETE EXPLANATION. I CERTIFY THAT THE STATEMENTS MADE BY ME UNDER PART IV ABOVE AND ON ANY SUPPLEMENTAL PAGES HERETO ATTACHED, ARE FULL, TRUE, AND CORRECT.</p>		
<p>TYPED FULL NAME OF PERSON MAKING CERTIFICATION</p> <p>GREGORY ALAN JOHNSON</p>	<p>SERVICE NUMBER</p> <p>145 467755</p>	<p>SIGNATURE OF PERSON MAKING CERTIFICATION</p> <p><i>Gregory A. Johnson</i></p>
<p>TYPED NAME OF WITNESS</p> <p>JACK V. CHURCH, SF1, USN</p>	<p>DATE</p> <p>5 MAY 71</p>	<p>SIGNATURE OF WITNESS</p> <p><i>Jack V. Church</i></p>

PLATE NO. 10186 (SHT 4)



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20370

IN REPLY REFER TO
Pers-522/rjo

JAN 22 1975

From: Chief of Naval Personnel
To: ETR3 Gregory A. JOHNSON, USN, 145-46-7756

Via: Commanding Officer
USS CASIMIR PULASKI (SSBN-633) (BLUE)
FPO, New York 09501

Subj: Discharge from the U. S. Navy as a Conscientious Objector;
request for

Ref: (a) Your ltr of 8 NOV 74

1. By reference (a) you requested discharge by reason of Conscientious Objection.

2. Your request for classification as a conscientious objector (1-0) has been reconsidered in the Bureau of Naval Personnel. Based upon that review, it has been concluded that you do not meet the criteria for conscientious objector status, and therefore your application must be denied. Specifically, it was concluded that you are not sincere in your asserted beliefs of conscientious objection. In addition, it is not clear that you are in opposition to war in any form. This conclusion is based upon a number of factors, including but not limited to the following:

a. It is noted that no one who has personally interviewed you for the purpose of determining your beliefs have concluded that you are a sincere conscientious objector. A review of your application indicates that neither your commanding officer, the investigating officer, nor the Chaplain who have had personal contact with you, are convinced of your sincerity. Your commanding officer believes your disenchantment with continued military service is based primarily on your belief that further service will limit what you perceived as your potential philosophical development. The investigating officer is of the opinion that your beliefs are shallow, poorly formulated and inconsistent. He stated that when you were confronted with exact quotations from the books which you claim form the foundation of your beliefs that you claimed no knowledge of their existence or content. The Chaplain believes your thoughts and decisions lack clarity and that your views on many issues are unresolved.

b. You stated to the investigating officer you might take conscious life if faced with a life or death self-defense situation.



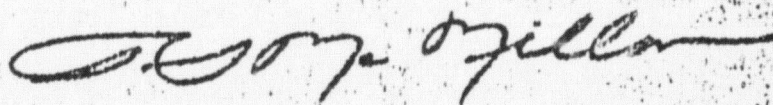
However, in your application you stated "No forceable circumstances would ever require me to take conscious life. This is a principle which drives me to submit this application." These two statements are clearly contradictory.

c. You stated that you initially submitted your application while attending nuclear power school. However, you stated that personnel in the chain of command discouraged you and that your parents were distressed at your action. Your failure to follow through with your application at that time under those circumstances, demonstrates a lack of sincerity of your conscientious objector beliefs.

d. You indicated your greatest opposition to continued military force is that you would not have enough time to practice your beliefs. It appears that your application is motivated by your own desires rather than any basic objection you may have to participation in a military organization; this indicates that your beliefs are not sincere.

e. You manifested no opposition to military service during a period exceeding three years in which you were either in a school, hospital or assigned to shore duty. It is noted that even on shore duty while performing duties clearly in support of polaris operation that you were not disturbed by your participation. It was only after assignment to a unit being prepared for deployment that you revealed a desire to be discharged. You attempted to explain the timing of the submission of your application by stating it coincided with your spiritual development. Even though you have conceded yourself that your views are still developing, a thorough review of all circumstances indicate your explanation is a convenient but unlikely reason.

3. Based upon the factors set forth above and the record as a whole it must be concluded you are not sincere in your asserted beliefs. Accordingly, your application for conscientious objector status is again denied.



E. Q. McMillan
by direction

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that on September 29, 1976, a copy of the foregoing Appendix was mailed first class, postage prepaid, to the Office of the United States Attorney, 270 Orange Street, New Haven, Connecticut.

M. Mitchell Morse
M. MITCHELL MORSE